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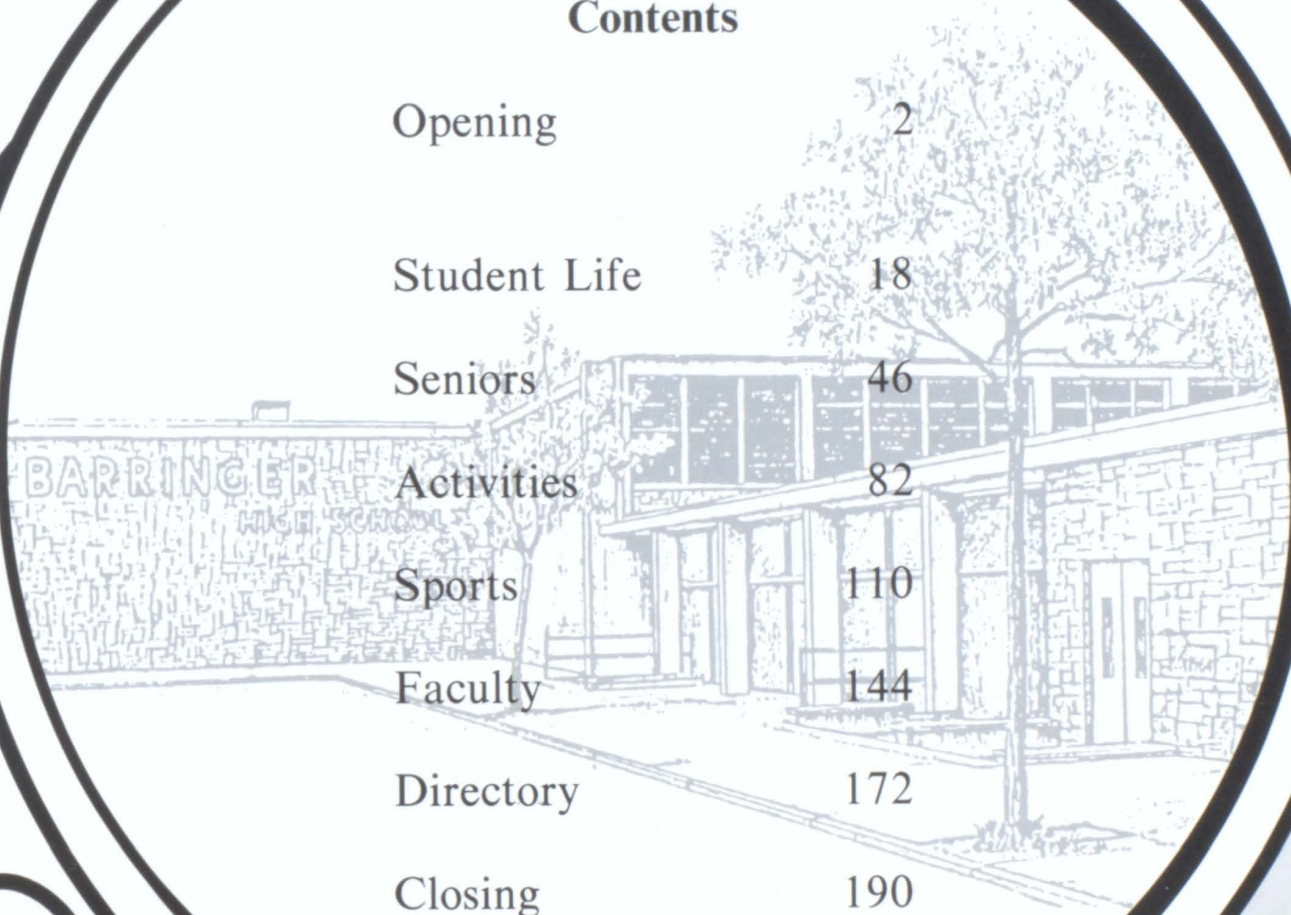
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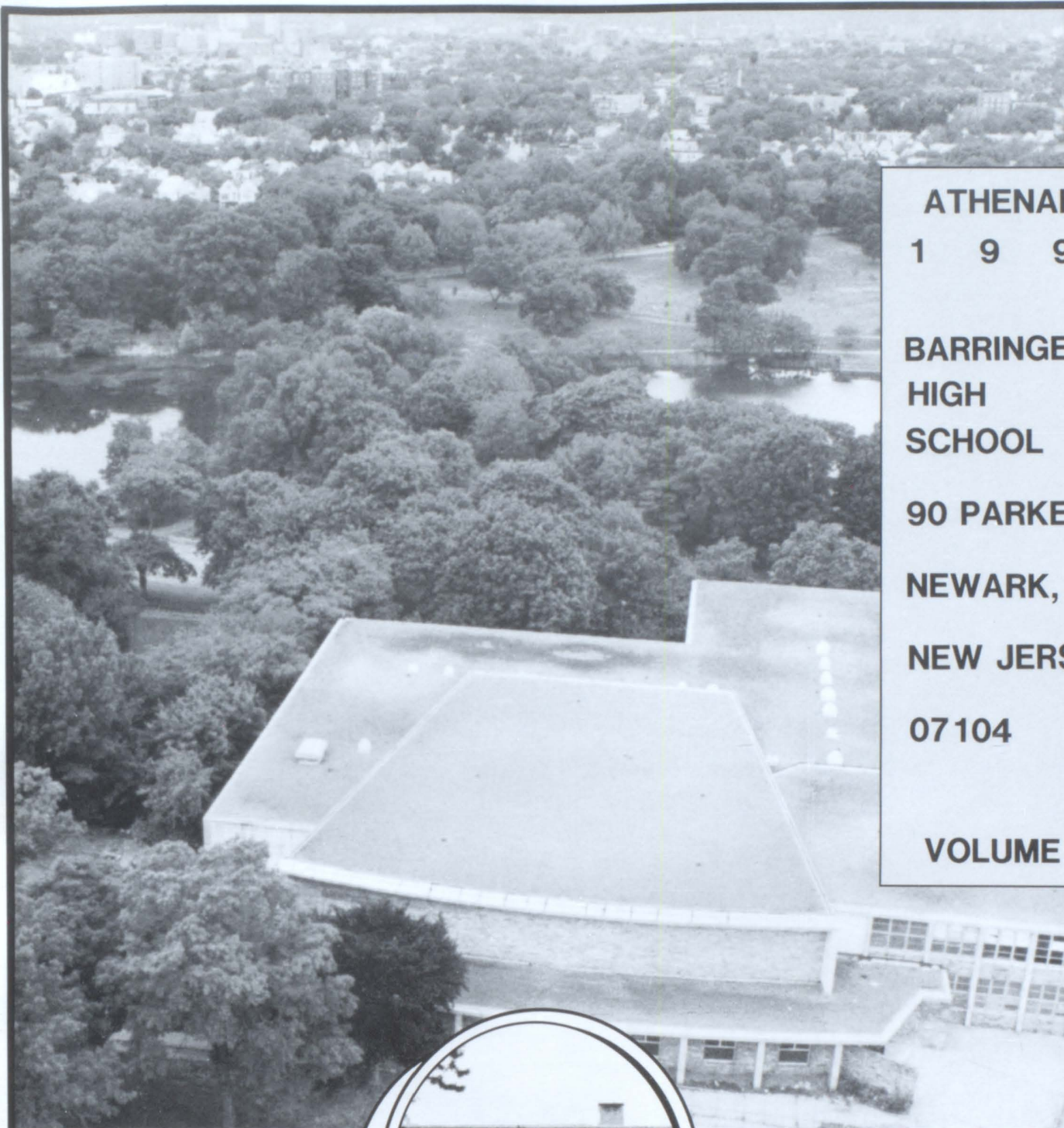
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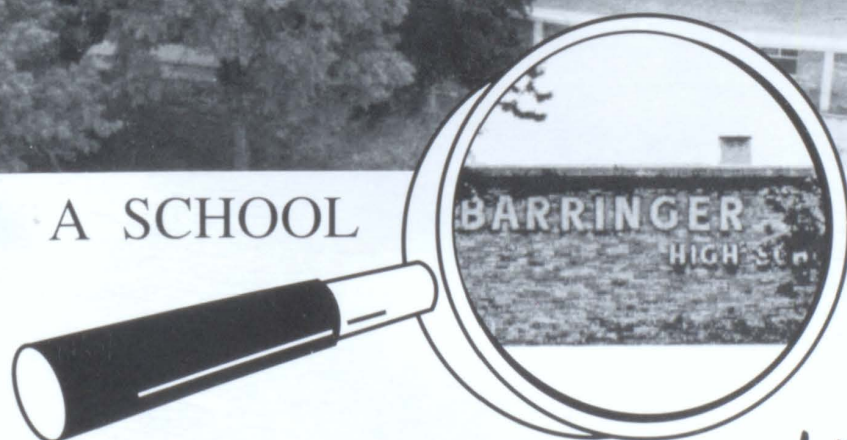
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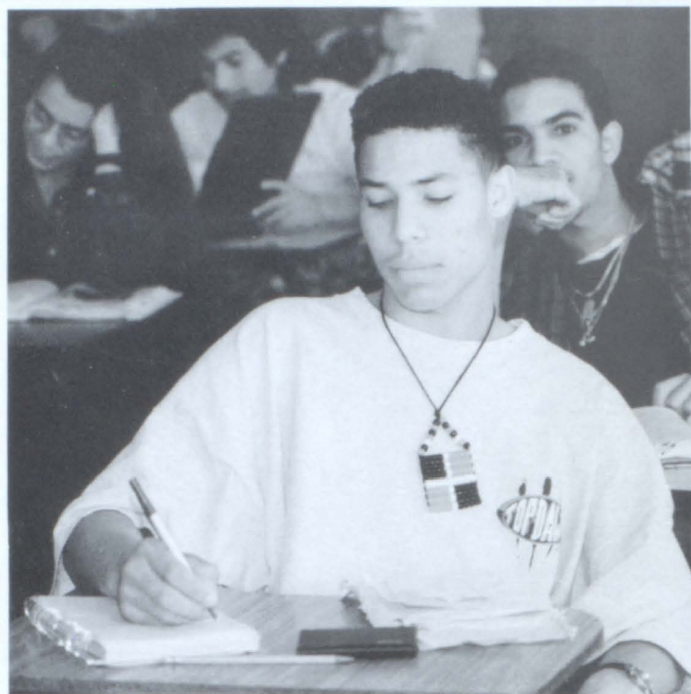


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Multiracial with a variety of ethnic groups. Barringer should be nicknamed the "United Nations." With students of many backgrounds, Barringer is unique in the diversity of its population. This allows an infusion of contrasting cultures, values and beliefs all blending together to create a multi-color fabric.



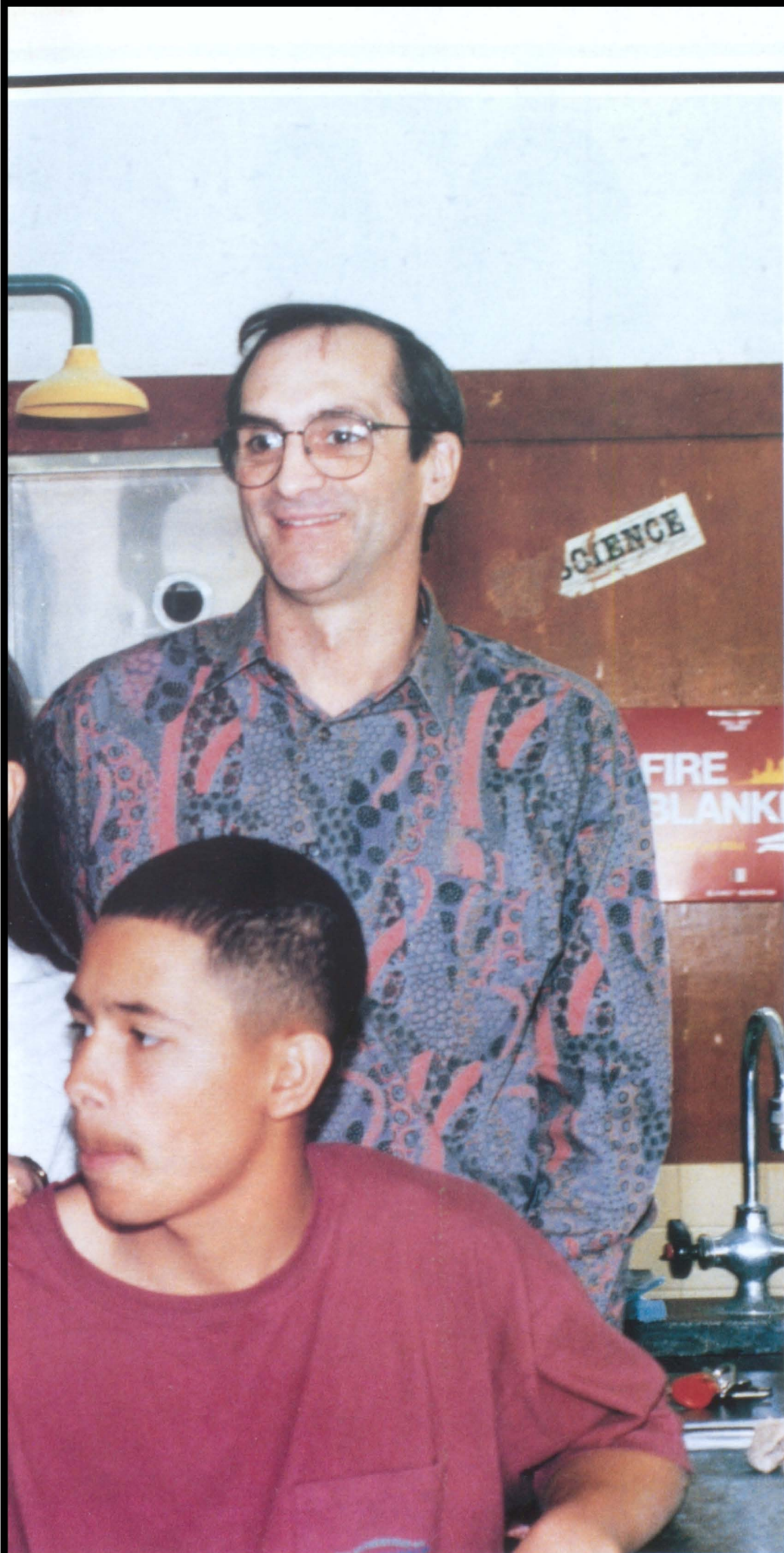


The pride of a highly regarded reputation and tradition. Barringer is the third oldest high school in the U.S, and the first free public high school in New Jersey. Since it's founding in 1838, many individuals have passed through Barringer's doors to become important statesmen and world leaders, including former Supreme Court Justice William Brennan. With an active alumni association known as the "Long Blue Line", Barringer's reputation, steeped in tradition, is legend.









A large selection of extracurricular activities. The students of Barringer not only receive the necessary tools of a good education in class, but they are also given the opportunity to expand their creative horizons through a variety of after school activities. From chess to publishing, many different subjects are offered, thereby allowing students to turn an interest into a lifelong hobby.

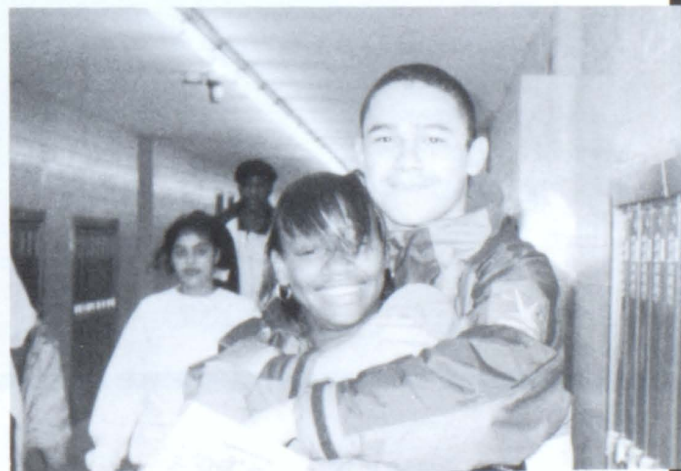


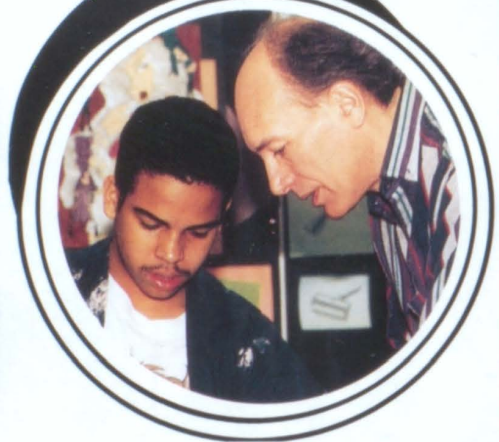


CHILDREN OF PARADISE



Friendships that have been nurtured. We came as individuals with diverse opinions and ideas. Four years together have joined our memories and forged our relationships. Our reunions will bring us together to rekindle our high school years, and further bond our hearts and minds.





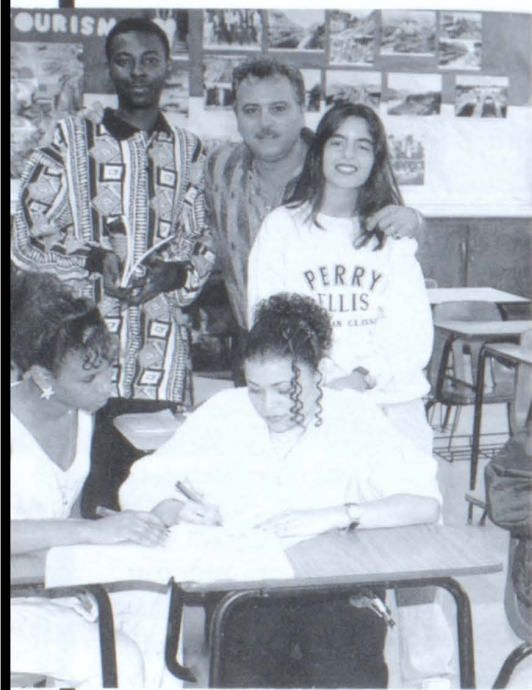


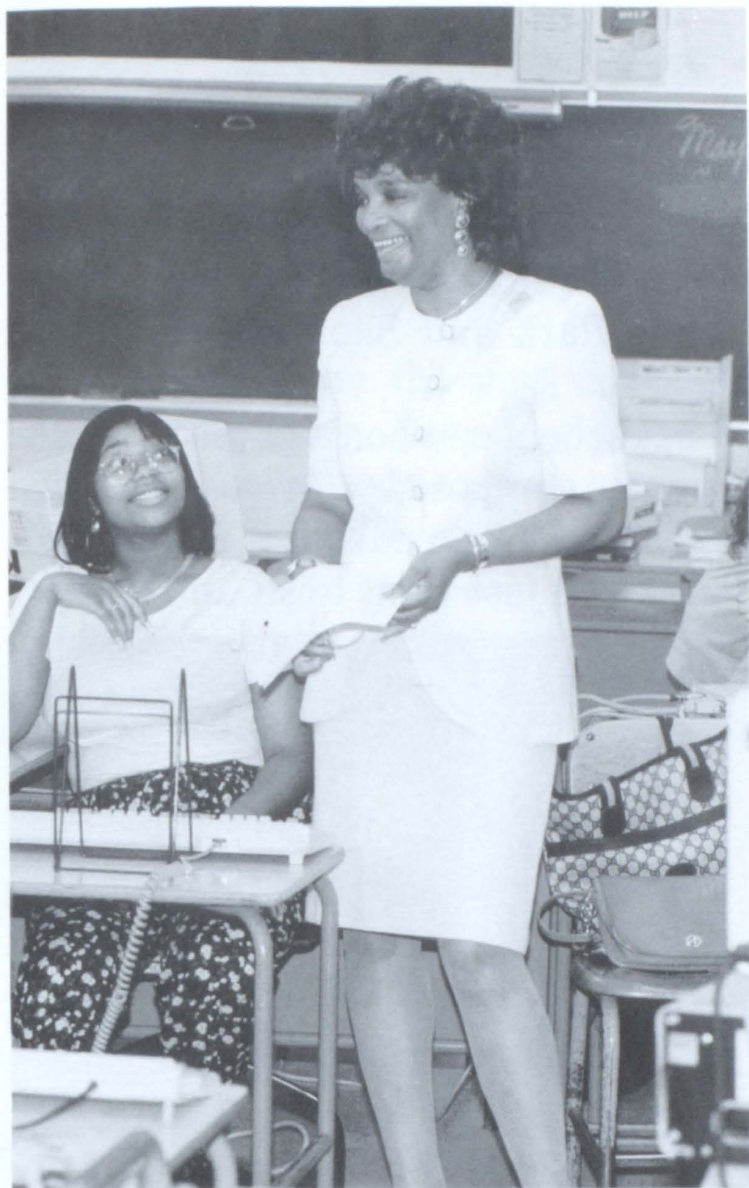
Outstanding teacher-student relationships.

Active participation in clubs, sports, and other activities, demonstrate how Barringer's teachers and students interact with each other not only in the classroom, but outside as well. Using our teachers as role



models, they have taught us how to communicate with others, to interact among our peers, and to understand what it is like to become an adult. Both teachers and students have created a bridge of knowledge and understanding.





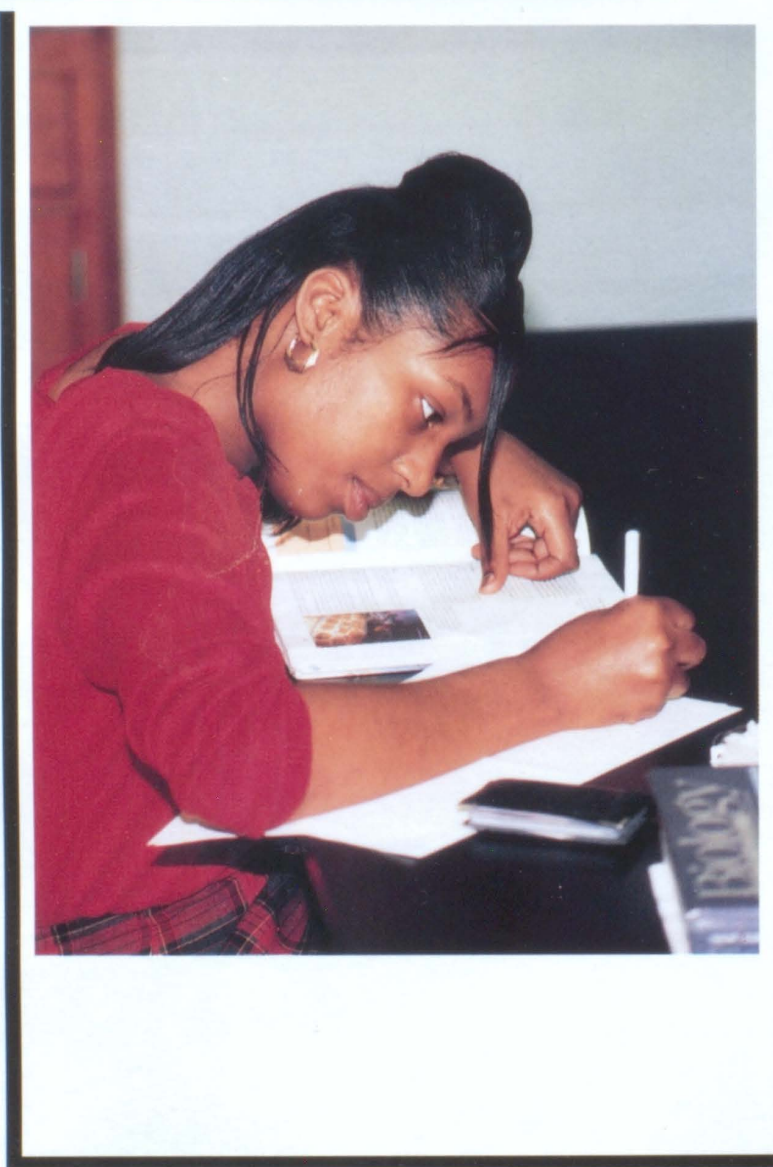
Dedicated teachers and administration. The teachers and administration of Barringer are dedicated to insuring that their students receive a quality education. A veteran staff composed of seasoned educators, who have dedicated many hours of time to our students in their quest for knowledge. Guided by Principal Benjamin O'Neal, the teachers and administration strive to build and mold the minds of tomorrow's leaders.





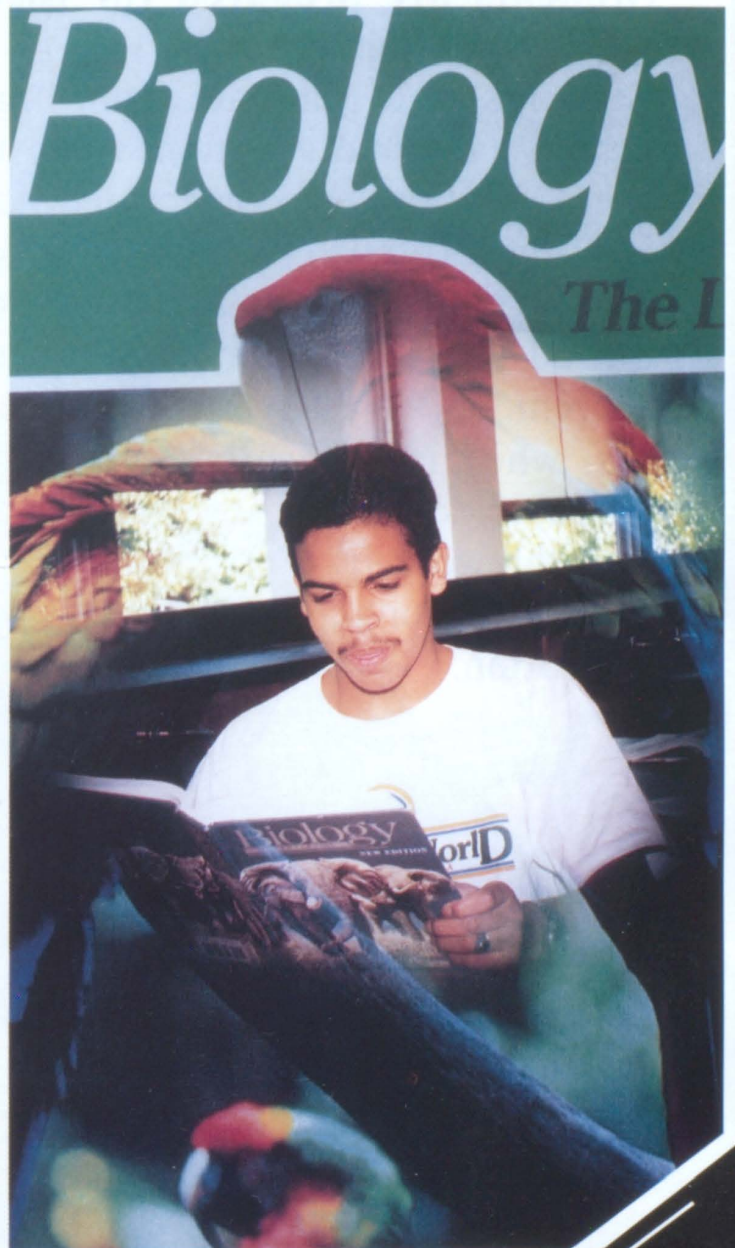
Barringer a beam of light from uphigh. As the Acropolis in Greece, Barringer sits on a hill next to Branch Brook Park and Sacred Heart Cathedral.

What school can boast of a beautiful campus composed of trees, bushes and a lake? The park is a refuge for those who just want to sit and think.



Because of its location, the peak of Park Avenue, the cathedral, now a basilica, is considered a beacon of hope to those who are spiritually hungry.

Resting between the park and this house of worship, Barringer also can be a beacon of hope to those wishing to receive a quality secondary education.



Students are prepared for their graduation requirements.

Students who graduate from high school have many options open to them. Making the correct decision is often difficult. To help us make certain that we have taken the required courses that meet state requirements. We have had counselors, who are dedicated to helping students decide if they want to go into the work field, or if they want to continue on and receive a higher education.





While strolling through the park, Yvonne Martinez, Lourdes Basco, Victor Minaya, Jamilette Gomez and Irma Cruz are caught by the camera.

Taking advantage of a break from his class, Rahim Sanford flashes his Blue Bear pride.



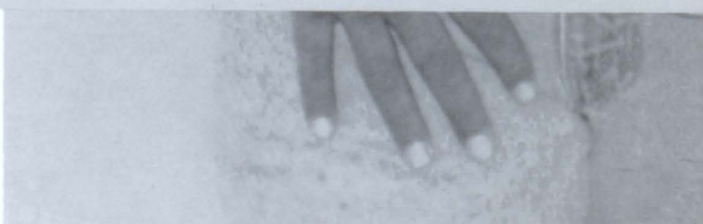
While clutching the branch, Nadiyah Shantay Lambert stops for a quick pic.



Raising his brush to select a color, Miguel Molina completes his abstract painting.



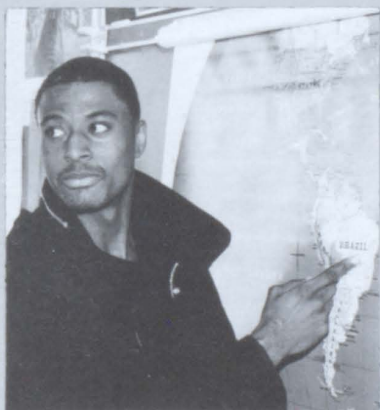
"Peace," says Tiffany Leverett as she pauses to swing the oak branch.



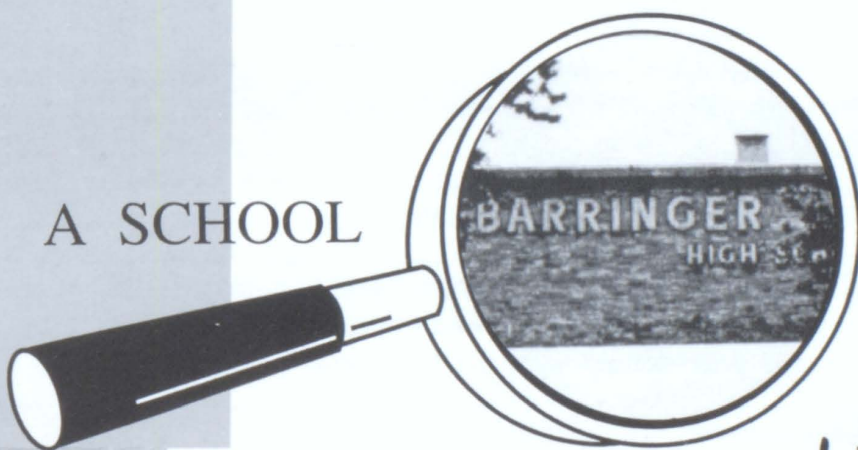
Student Life



To clarify a point, Jimmy Carter concentrates on Brazil.



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A Senior's Fondest Memories

Name

Sex

Address.....

Phone Number

Birthdate.....Sign

Marital status

Future plans.....

Personality.....

Weakest point

Strongest points

Employment status.....

Style of clothing

How do you feel at test time?

Best part of being a Senior.....

Worst part of being a Senior.....

#1 Friend

#1 Enemy.....

#1 Teacher.....

#1 Song.....

#1 Hobby

#1 Hangout spot.....

#1 Excuse

Age of first kiss.....With who?

How did you feel?

Age of first crush.....With who?

How did you feel?

Number of relationships?

What do you look for in a man or a woman?

.....

What time did your longest relationship with a mate last?

What is your definition of Love?

.....

Is it possible to Love two people at one time?

How many times have you been in Love?

What is your definition of the following:

Trust.....

Responsibility

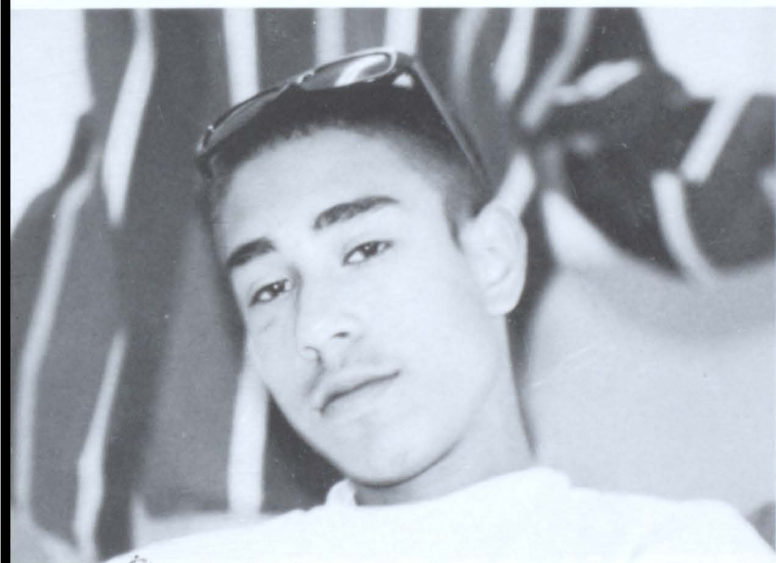
Commitment.....

Truth.....

Honor.....

Light.....

Never forget, that with the power of your mind you can accomplish anything possible to man. And with the power of your faith, you can accomplish anything impossible in the world.



As the band members filled the gymnasium, the crowd, eager to hear them play, cheered loudly to the beat of the drums. It was Friday September 22, and finally, the wait was over. You could feel the pounding as the Blue Bear Band entered the court. The music roared. The fans were screaming. The beat was deafening.

We waited almost two years, for our band to get their act straight, and the occasion was finally here. For the grand finale, a Reggae type of tune had the audience rocking while the color guard performed the Butterfly dance.

Continuing with the program was Head Football Coach Miguel Hernandez who was presented by Athletic Director Ralph Salzano. Hernandez began by calling out the players of the football team, both Varsity and J.V. Team Captains Leonardo Marcano and Maurice Williams introduced the team members and revealed some of the plays they have been working on. They were soon off to the side lines to be replaced by the soccer team.

The soccer team demonstrated their skills, as they were called out by their coach Lorenzo Cruz. Co-captain Brian Isaik came out to direct his crew, and the other captain, Werner Gramajo, was not present. The soccer men did a little foot juggling with the ball, before they left the area to the girls volley-ball squad.

As the young ladies were announced by their coach Corrine Kyllis, they came in to center court. Along with co-captains Vanessa Fontanez and Karina Alvarado, the girls demonstrated their bumping and spiking skills.



"No pictures please," says Mr. Hernandez

Barringer's finest volleyball players.



EVENT



Barringer's color guard show off their musical skills.



Leida Montanez demonstrates school spirit.



The crowd is overwhelmed with excitement.



Blue Bear's football players pose before the camera.

BLUEBEAR HOMECOMING



LeRoy Singleton, Kiana Drew, Edward Molina, Leidy Bautista, Macdella Cooper, and Luis Reyes pile up for a quick shot.



Barringer's Cheerleader's, Andrienna W., Crystal J., Latasha H., Shunte D., Khalilah J., and Lakeemah T. posing in the rain for a snap shot.

October 21st 1995, was a muggy, rainy day, but it was also the homecoming game for Barringer Blue Bears against Malcolm X Shabazz High School. The terrible conditions and continuous rain could not keep the anxious "Barringerinos" from fulfilling their task. Even though there was not a huge crowd, the number of people that attended, helped motivate the players. The cheerleaders and school administrators were all present and eager to watch the game, even if it meant standing in the rain.



Will Massenburg, Shawn Blakewood, and friends (on the left) endure the pouring rain to support their team.



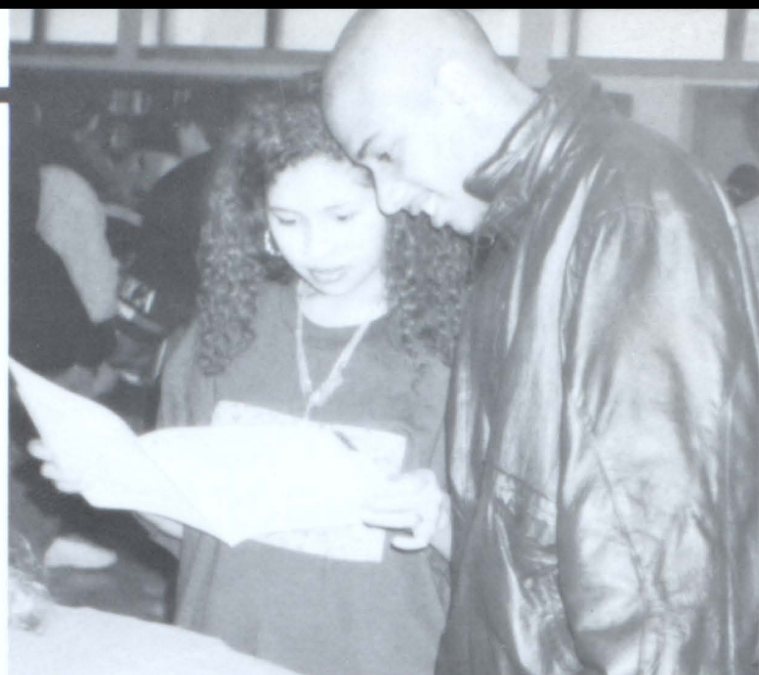
It wasn't hard to see that the mud made the game more difficult.



Principal Ben O'Neal, and faculty members, Ms. Clare Roth, Mr. Ralph Salzano, and Mrs. Corrin Kylis demonstrate their Blue Bear spirit.



Adriana Yerovi shares information with her counselor Mrs. Lopez.



Marth Mejia and Hector Rivera breeze through an application.



Arlen Perez can't wait to fill out his application.

To be a senior is more than what students expect it to be. With all the worries of the prom, the senior trip, senior dues, and S.A.T.'s there seems to be no time to explore colleges, universities or trade schools.

That's exactly why every year the guidance department hosts a college fair. At this event, every senior has the advantage and opportunity to explore and research their interest and future plans. The College Fair is an extra-ordinary event that helps seniors to be well informed about any college, university, or trade school they prefer to attend.



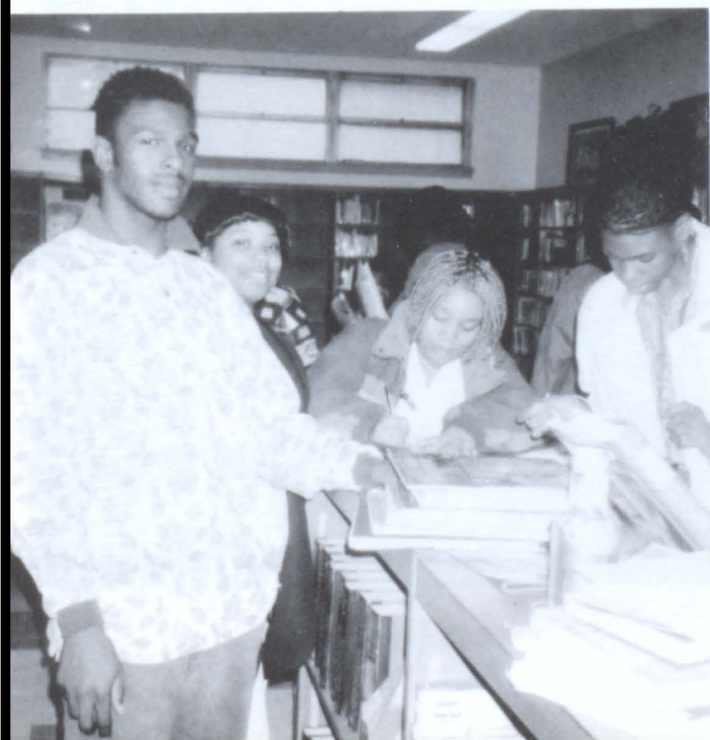
Andy Beasley, Che' Jones, Edward Molina, and Jonah Olayinka, gather to listen to the representative from N.J.I.T.



COLLEGE FAIR



Jeancy Vazquez, Poliena Agostino and Danyelle Williamson flash their college preference.



Carmen Velazquez and Julisa Ramos show their intelligence.

On May 24, 1996 the Senior Class embarked on the long anticipated Senior Class trip to Virginia. Busch Gardens in Williamsburg was one of the many entertainment stops. Most of the fun at Busch Gardens came from the mini zoo, the water slides, and the rollercoasters.

We were pleased to see that the zoo had their own version of the Bluebear. The race was on to the rollercoasters. We then took on the Adventure of the Wild Garden. It was everything expected and some of the unexpected. The excitement never died.

Walking through the park made us feel like we were two years old again. Since this excursion was one of the last times that we will all have to spend with each other, we will always treasure the wonderful adventures and the beautiful sights that Virginia offered Barringer High's Senior Class of 1996.



Like all bears, we needed a little water to cool off from the scorching heat, and this was one of the stops where we did just that.

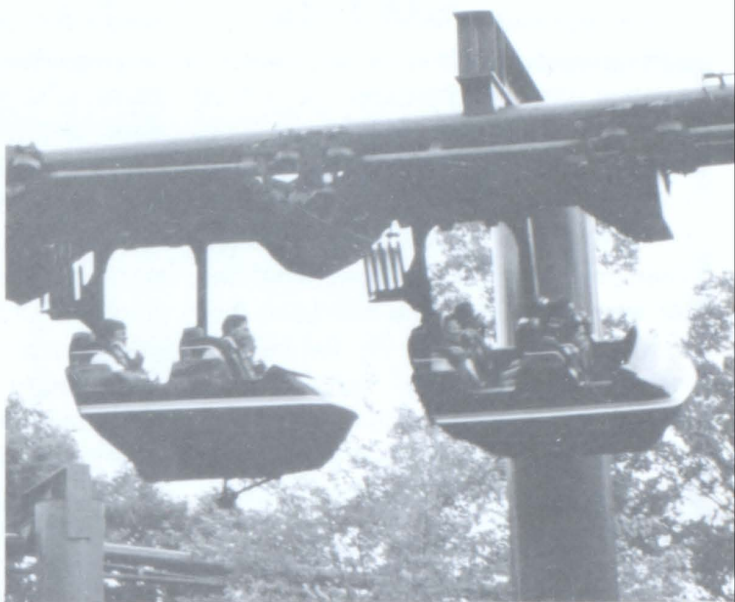


Of course, these Blue Bears were happy to see one of our cousins in another state.

Tradition With



A Dash Of Fun



If you can't tell by now, this is one of the roller coasters w
explored.



If one water slide didn't do the trick, we had to go with Plan
and try another one.

You just had an argument with your one of your friends, and you failed a science exam, or perhaps you arrived to school a bit too late and got early morning detention. As you were headed towards your locker, highly upset, you bumped into one of your worst enemies. Then you thought to yourself, what better way to alleviate my frustration than to kick, bang, or slam my fist into my locker - there lies your opportunity to relieve your stress. It was made of sturdy metal and seemed like the best punching and kicking "bag" available at the time.

Lockers were to many seniors like pets, except you didn't have to walk or

feed them, and they never spoke back to you. They were also like a second home, where you kept pictures of loved ones, pets, relatives and/or friends.

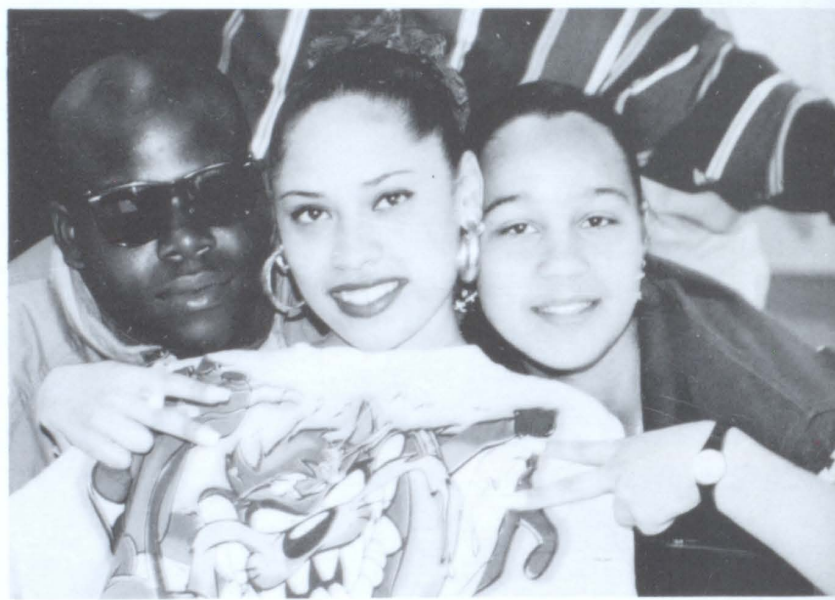
Many seniors considered their lockers to be a place where they could pile their junk up, and no one - including their parents, would have anything to say about it. Oh! And somewhere in there you may have found some books that you actually needed to use in your science, math, or history class jumbled up in between all the other massive amount of stuff.

Many seniors treated their lockers as a decorative atmosphere. For example they would hang drawings, or paintings

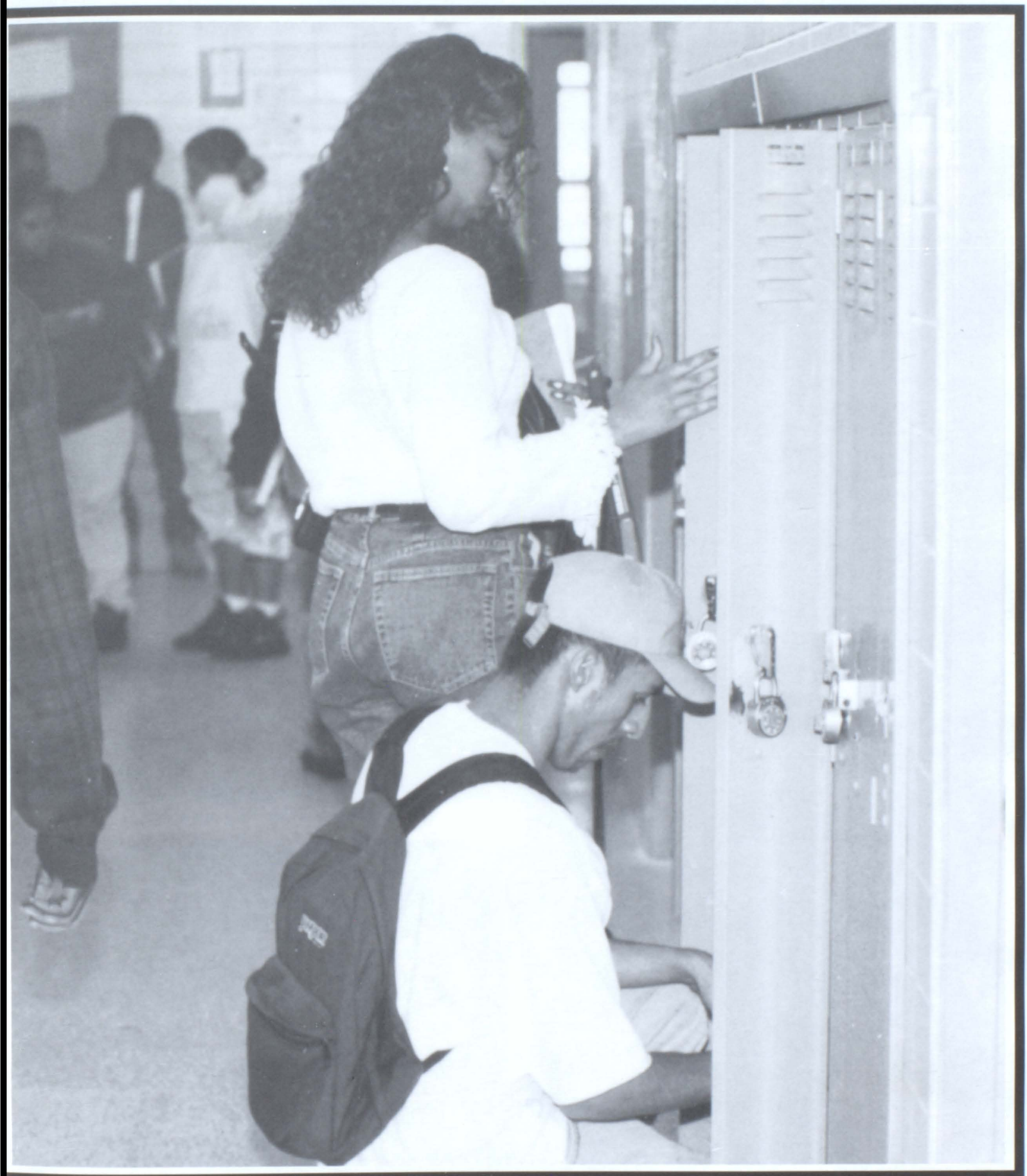
that they created in their art class, or perhaps a project that was once on a wall in their rooms at home. Incredible but true, seniors treasured their lockers as if they were a prized possession, or a member of their family.

Lockers also served as a meeting place, a spot to hangout, or as a personal and private compartment. But in reality, it was actually a location to view the handsome hunk, or gorgeous babe of your dreams, who happened to share the locker next to you.

So you'll never find a locker in college or anywhere in life to be as meaningful to you as your B.H.S. locker.



A STUDENT'S BEST FRIEND



A bit of Talent



Julio Ramos struggles to keep his pants from falling.



Macdella Cooper smiles to the crowd.



Some of Barringer's alumni return as judges.



So the million man rap begins.





On Friday, December 1, 1995 Barringer's auditorium was filled with talent, thereby creating a night to remember. The performance included six categories; Drama, groups of Original Rap, Rap, Duets and Solos. The purpose of this show was to give students the opportunity to share their talent with their peers. Each performance was exciting in its own special way, but as the night ended, some performers recieved awards for their outstanding talent. So for those of you who missed this great event, you lost out on a dazzling evening of spectacular talent.



Taisha Campbell and Bary White's impressionist pace the show with sexy moves.



SUPERLATIVES

Most All Around



Stephen Garcia, Danyelle Williamson, Elias Garcia

Most Artistic



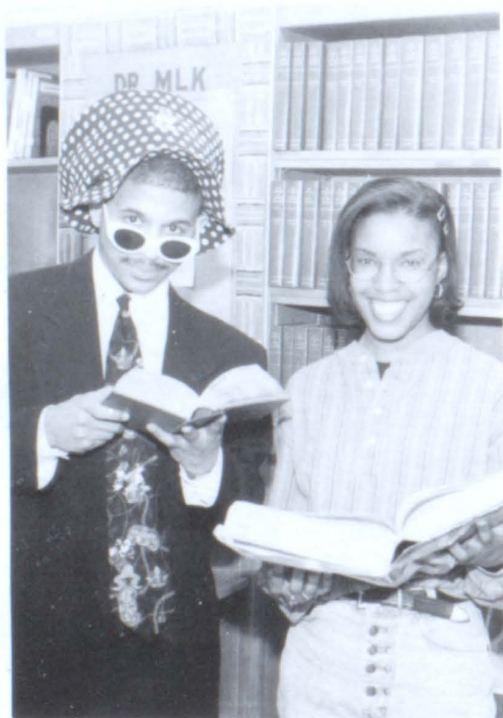
Jasmin "GiGi" DeFrancisco

Best Dressed



Luis Reyes

Most Intellectual



Stephen Garcia, Leicy Bautista

Best Friends



Leida Montanez, Latisa Bell

Best Couple



Danyelle Williamson, Ruben Morales

BEST OF 96

Most Polite & Talkative



Naida Cruz

Most Athletic



Ana Marie Garcia, Luis Reyes

Most Popular



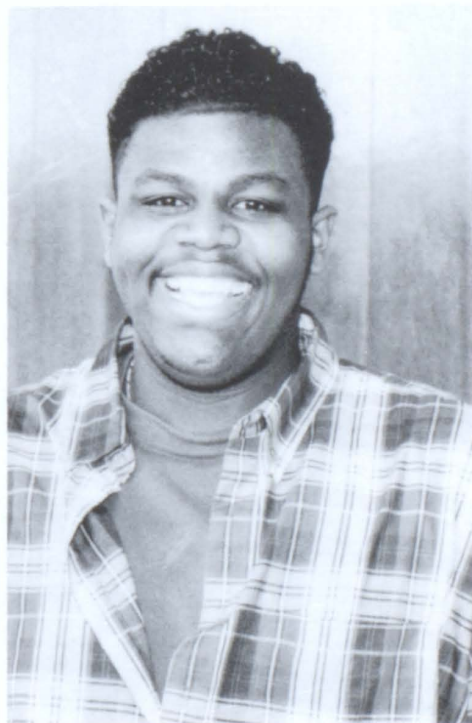
Elias Garcia, Leida Montanez, Ruben Morales

Most Attractive



Luisa Reyes, Naida Cruz

Most Comical



Alex Davis

Most Likely To Succeed



Macdella Cooper, Stephen Garcia

Aquarius



Julissa Ramos

Zodiac Pisces



GiGi

Aries



Ijeoma Okoh

Taurus



Erika Webb

Gemini



Carmen Velazquez

Cancer



Dedra Booker

Winners

Leo



Jenny Cardona

Virgo



Chandre Gamble

Libra



Rosmond Ferguson

Scorpio



Leida Montanez

Sagittarius



Sekeera Hall

Capricorn



Tameka Mitchell

***Prom* - May 23, 1996**
West Orange Manor



Site of the Class of 1996 Prom.

Class of "96" Presents:
"A Whole New World"



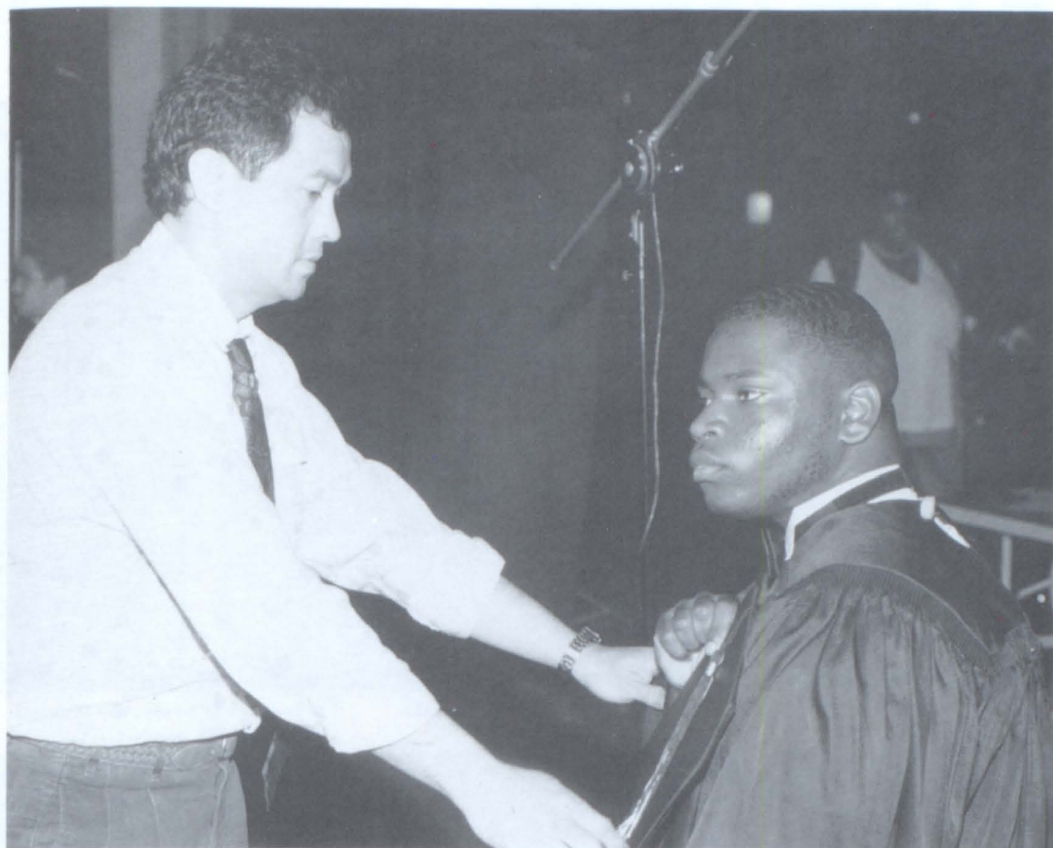
Mr. Wilson Martinez, senior advisor, (right) chaperones the evening with other faculty members.



The West Orange Manor just before the limos arrive.

The Last Good-bye





As the class of 1996 was expected to make their grand entrance at the Sacred Heart Cathedral, the anticipation of the students overwhelmed the crowd. And as students received the single piece of paper, signifying the fact that 13 years or more of schooling was behind them, it gave them a sense of accomplishment. But even though the senior class was filled with happiness and excitement, because their day had finally come, there were also tears of sadness.

Graduation day inspires students to look towards the future. When we finally leave Barringer and become alumni, we should never lose the ability to believe in ourselves, or that we cannot accomplish anything we wish to achieve in life.



BARRINGER'S



Jose Adorno



Jessica Badillo



Latisa Bell



Leidy M. Bautista



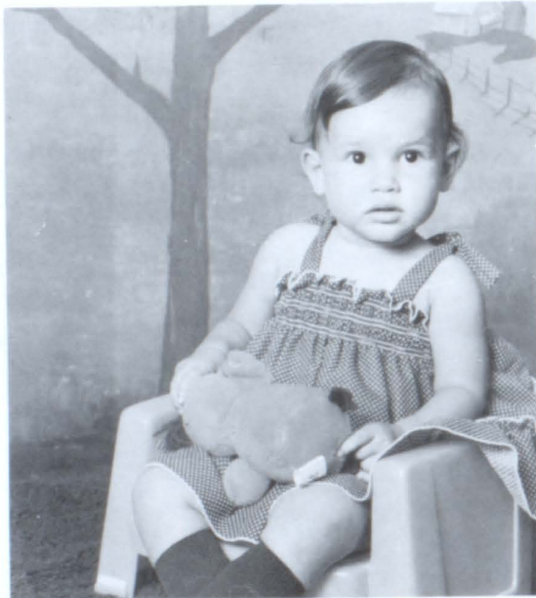
Jessica Bermudez



Ayesha Bishop



Kevin Byrd



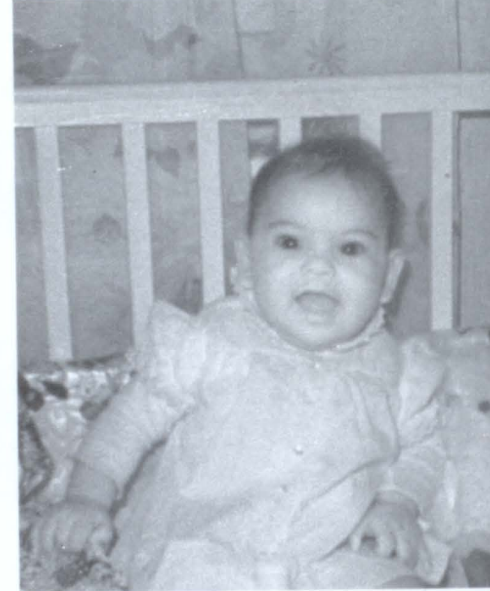
Marisol Cortes



Shakira Crowley



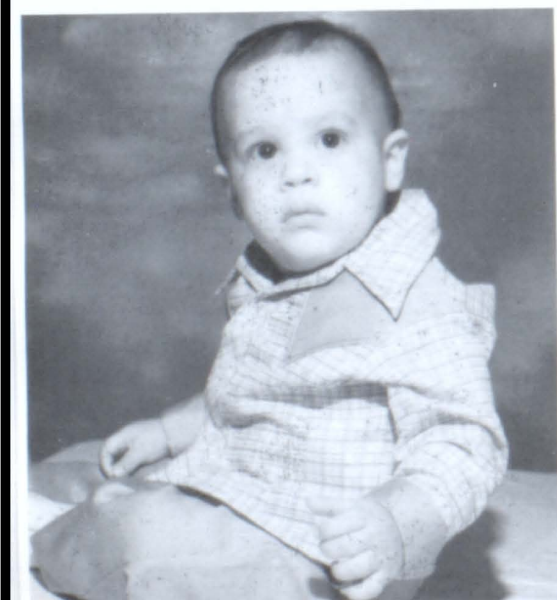
Estrella Cruz



Irma Cruz



Marisol Concepcion



Osvaldo Cruz



Naida Cruz



Alex Davis



Jecelyn De Jesus



Miguel A. Diaz



Francisco A. Espinoza

Young Bears



Yesenia Fernandez



Vanessa Fontanez



Anamaria Garcia



Jamilette Gomez



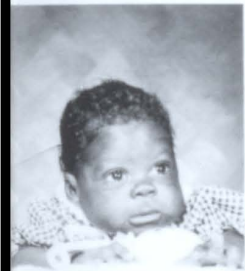
Werner Gramajo



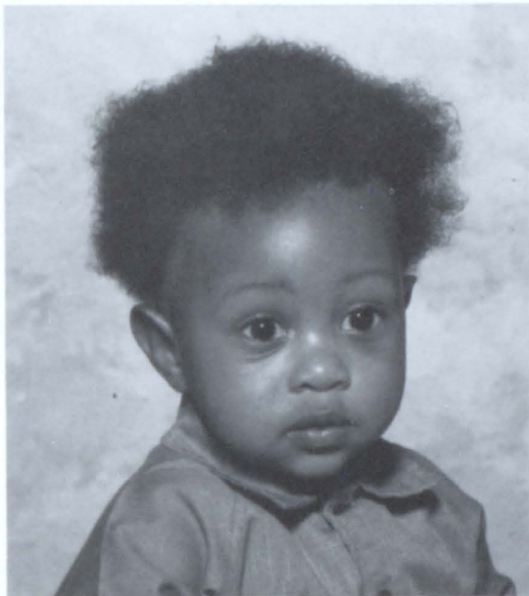
Shuquawana Hall



Jacqueline Herrera



Chante Jackson



Rashawna Jones



Nadiyah Lambert



Tiffany Leverett



Haymin Mason



Leida Montanez



Tanya McCord



Latish Moore



Ruben Morales



Jamillah Morgan



Jonah Olayinka

As Cubs



Ijeoma Okoh



Orlando Ortiz



Widalys Perez



Daisy Perez



Okeyeha Rahim



Aida Ramos



Julissa Ramos



Lisa Rivera



Cristina Ruiz



Sulaika Santos



Elsa Santiago



Glorimer Reyes



Jairo Soto



Haneefab Webster



Danyelle Williamson



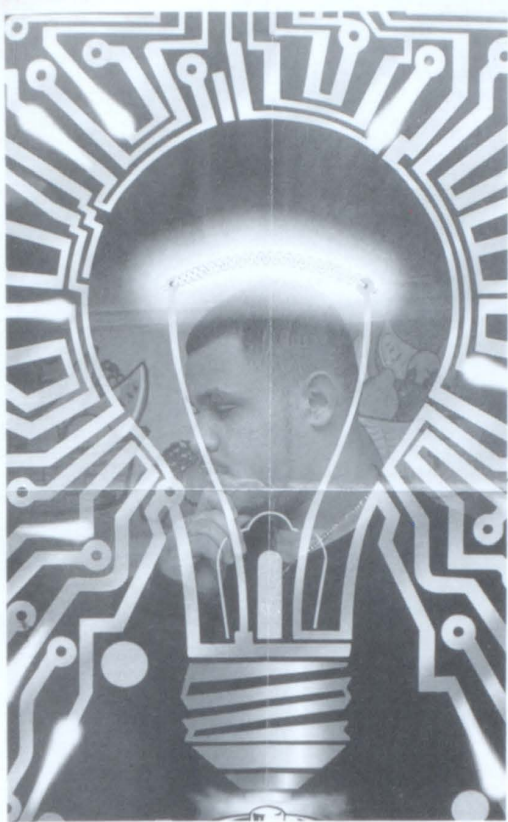
Keyamma Whindleton



Adriana Yerovi



Jeancy Vazquez



Ariel Silva with the thinking cap on.



Julie and her daughter pose for a sweet shot.



Alex and Tara in the park.



Daniel Zamora grins for the camera.

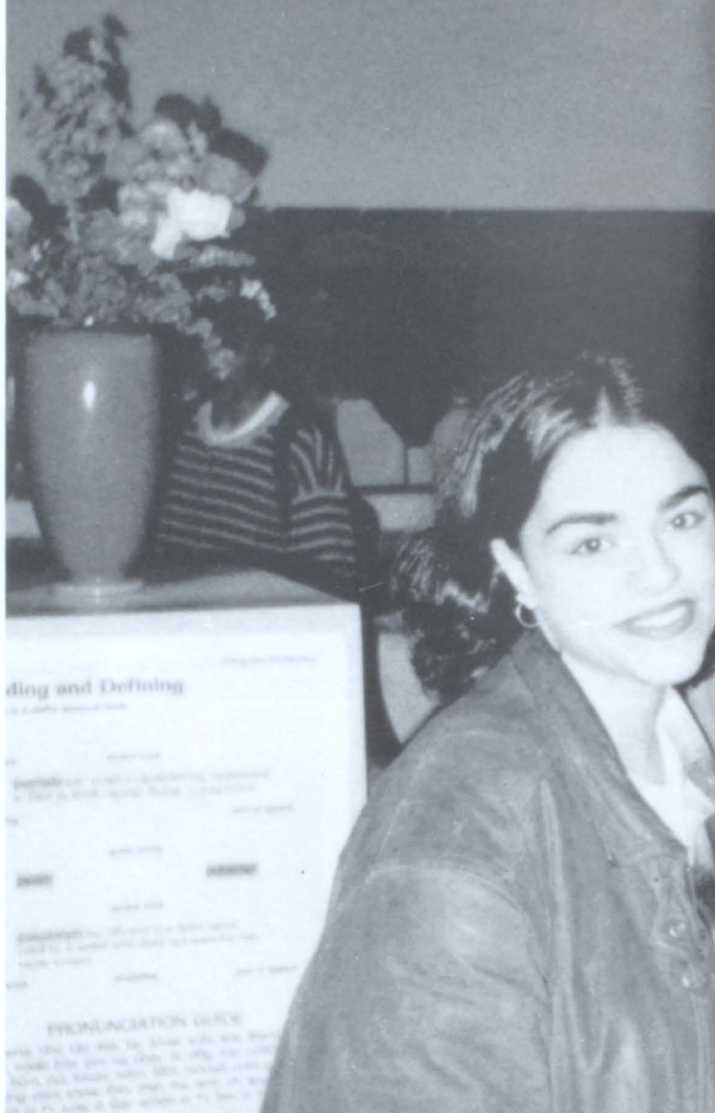


(Right) Tamika Mitchell poses before class.
(Left) Estrella Cruz with daughter Priscilla

Raising their hands in triumph, Naheem Lewis and Aisha Bishop say, "We're Outta here!"



Raheem Denson and Oneisy Irri Zary consider which college to attend at the College Fair.



Fernando Colon and Marisol Cortes discuss the prom at the Manor.



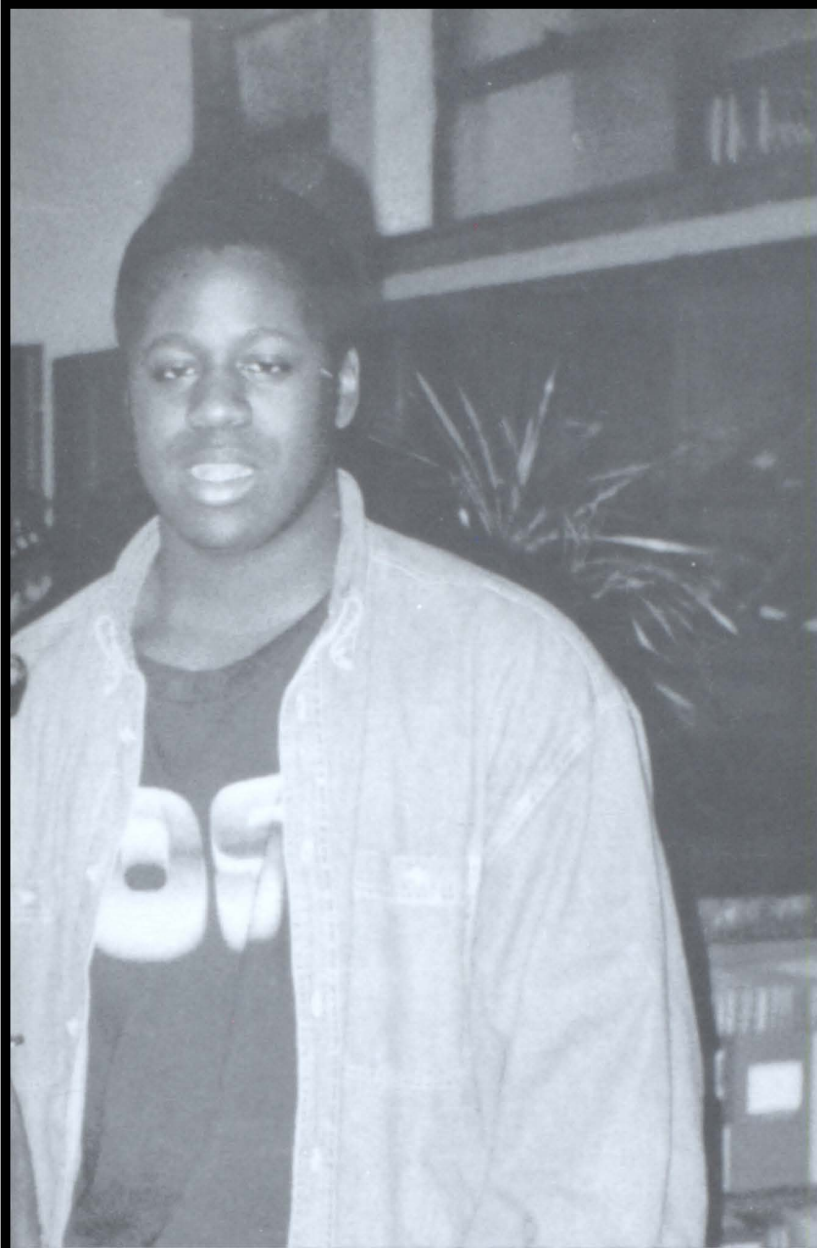
Aisha comments to Tanya Mccord how easy she found the HSPT to be.



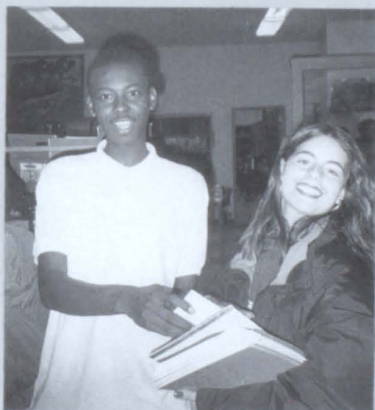
Juan Turner says goodbye to Quiana Drew.



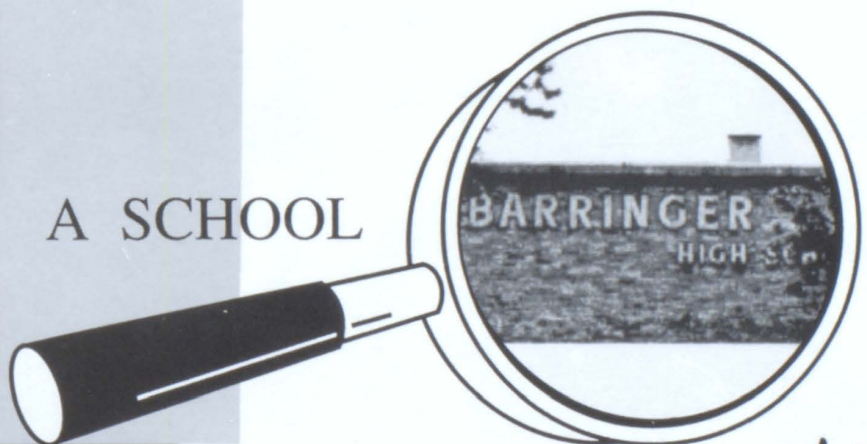
Seniors



"The library is a fun place," says Steven Harp on college tour.

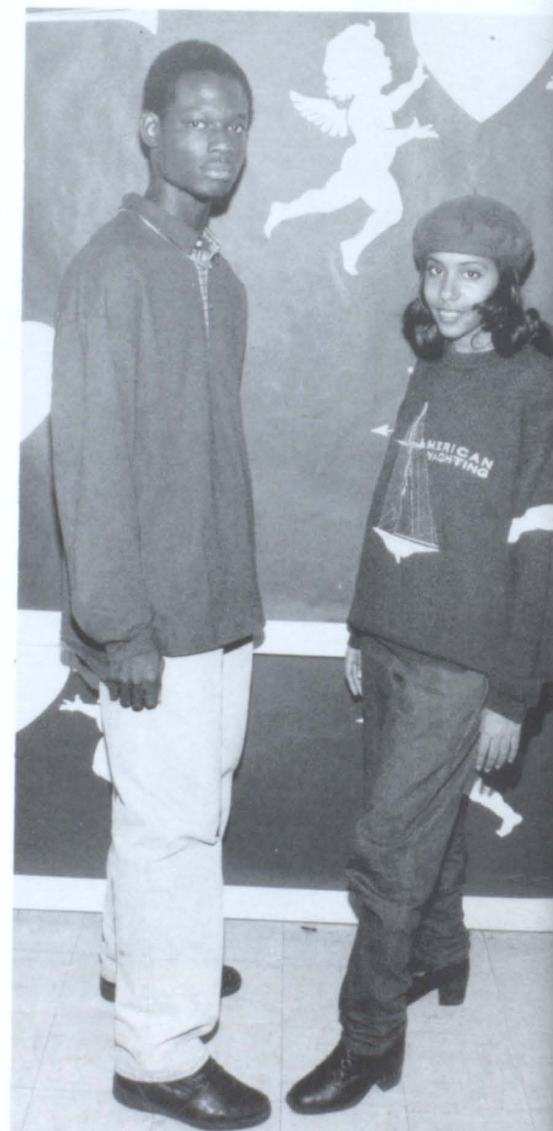
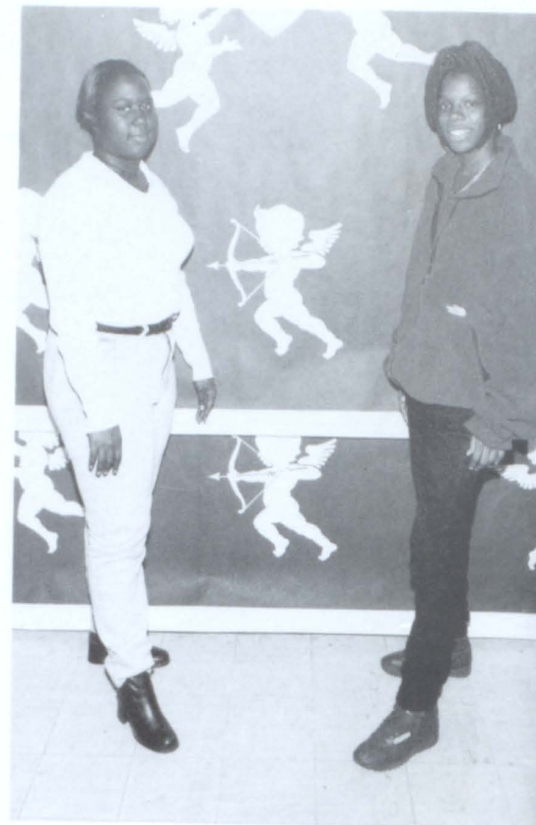


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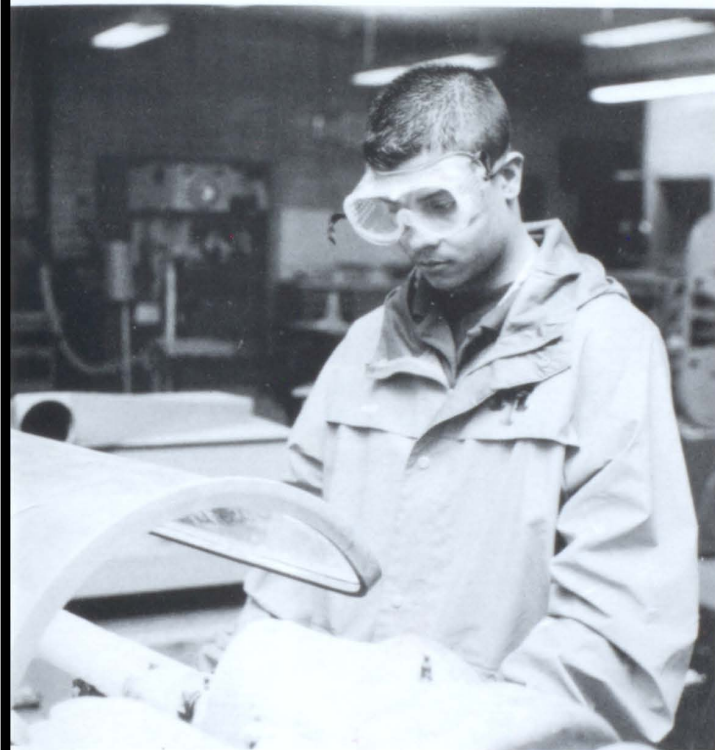


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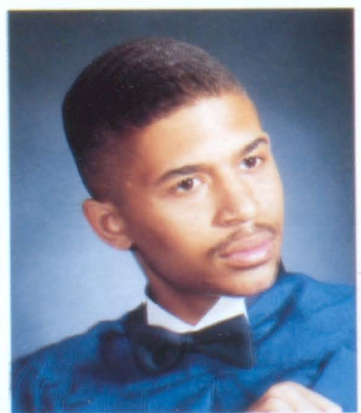
SENIOR PHOTO GALLERY



ADORNO



STEPHEN GARCIA



JOSE ADORNO



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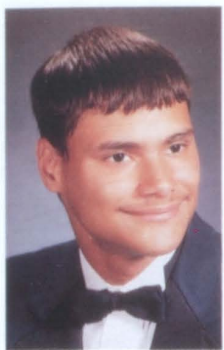
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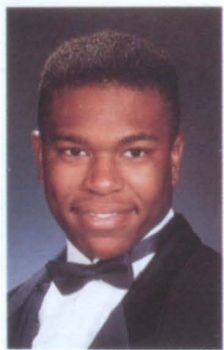
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JESENIA BARILLAS



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LATISA BELL



GUANDLEY BERMUDEZ

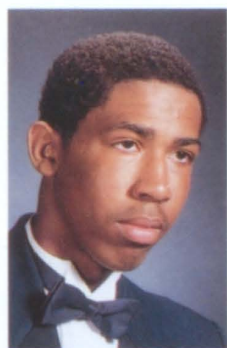


JESSICA BERMUDEZ

BISHOP



AYESHA BISHOP



SHAWN BLAKEWOOD



DEDRA BOOKER



CHARLENE BOWMAN



KHALILAH BOWMAN



PHYLLIS BOWMAN



JONATHAN BOXILL



JULIAN BOXILL



JANIRIS BRISITA



QUIMAN BROWN



DIONNE BUIE



KEVIN BYRD



MAGDALENA CALDERON



YAHAIRA CALLE



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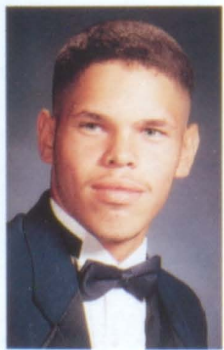
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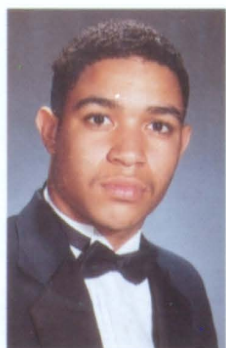
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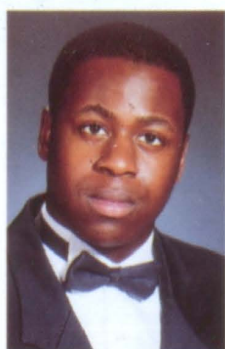
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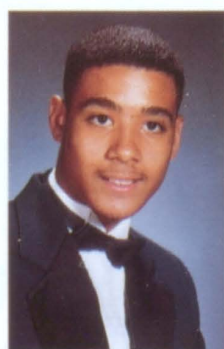
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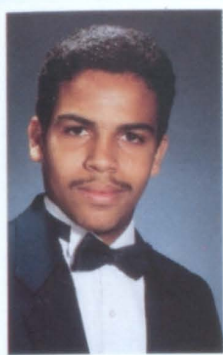
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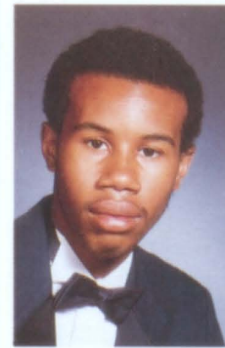
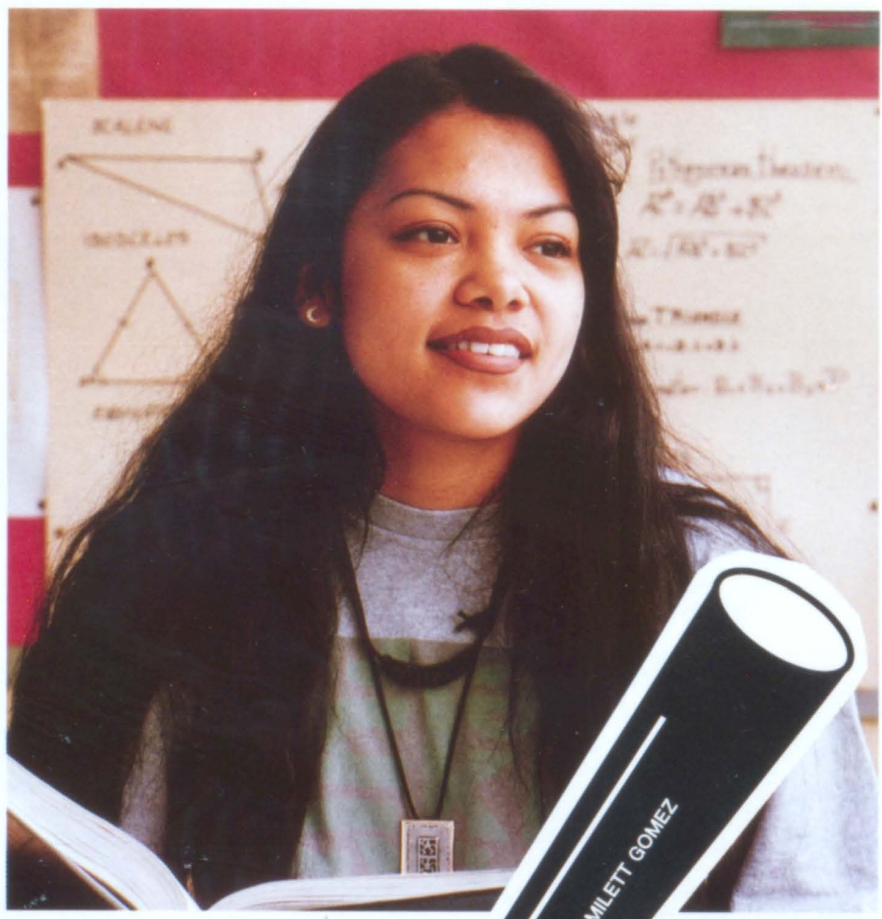
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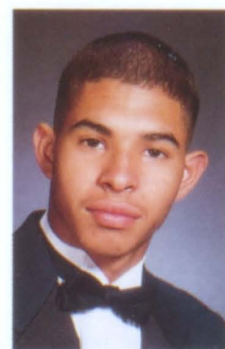
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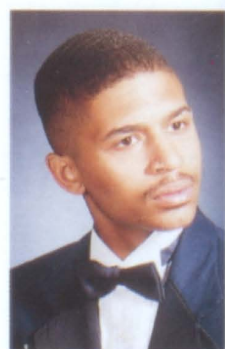
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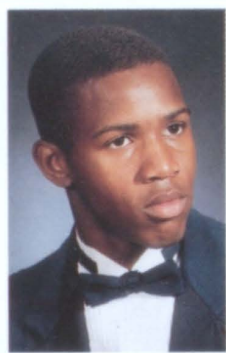


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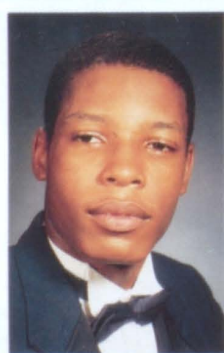
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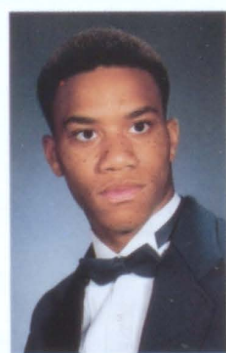
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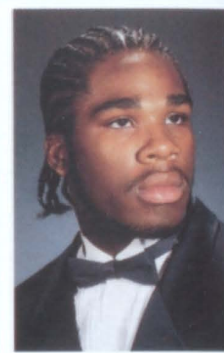
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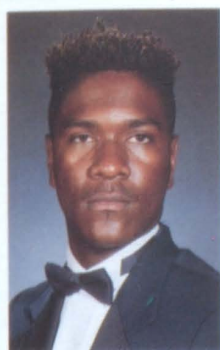
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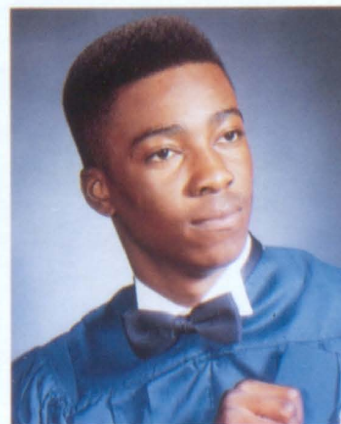
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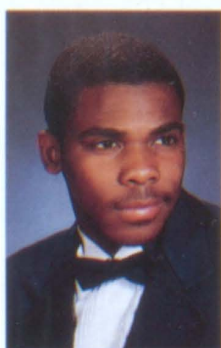
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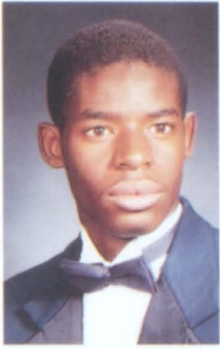


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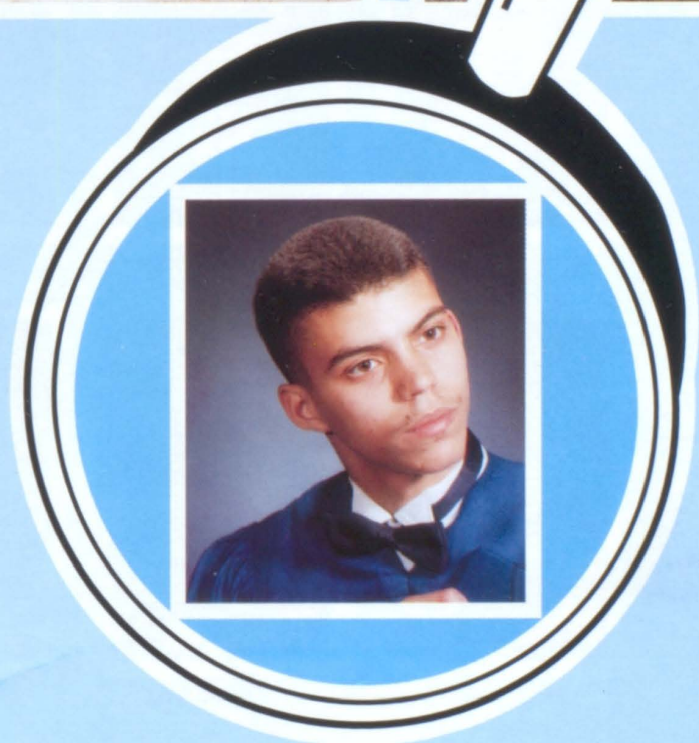
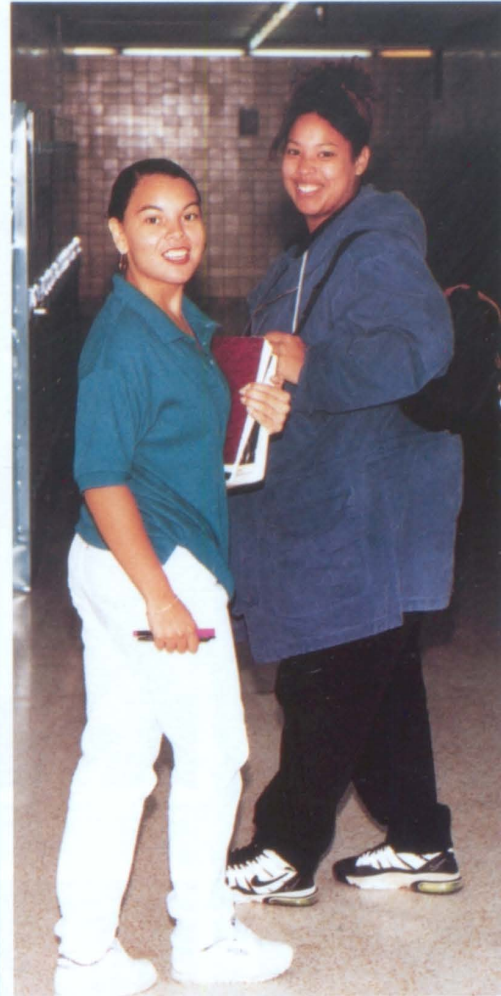
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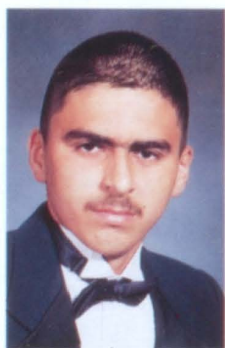
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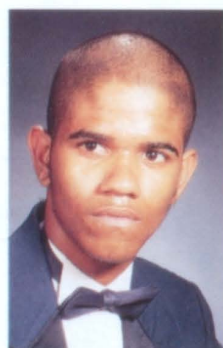
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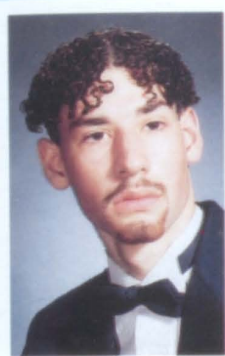
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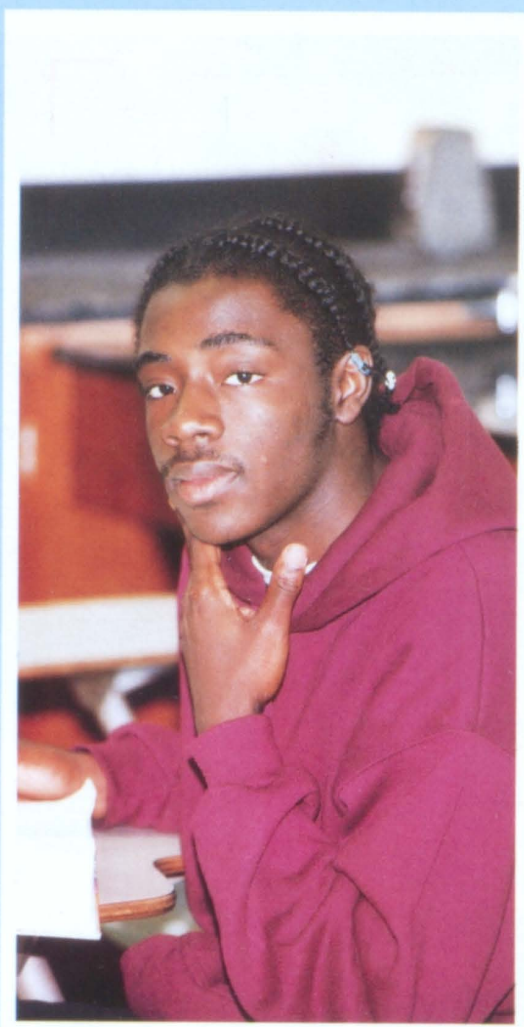
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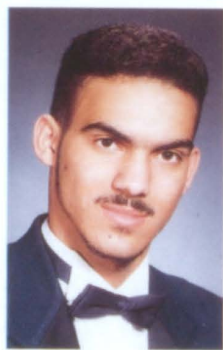
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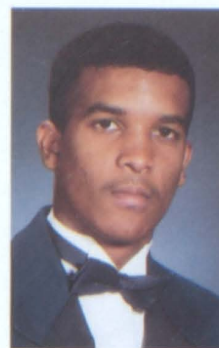
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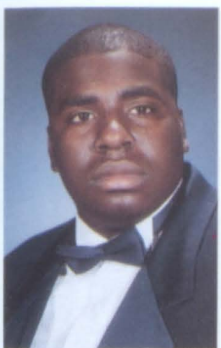
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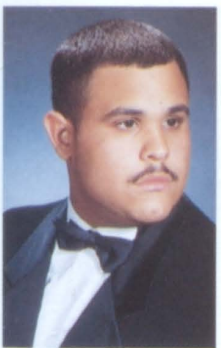
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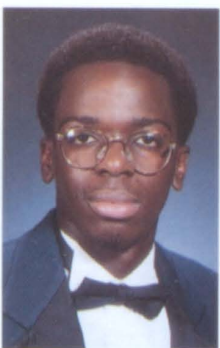
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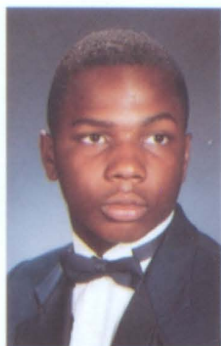


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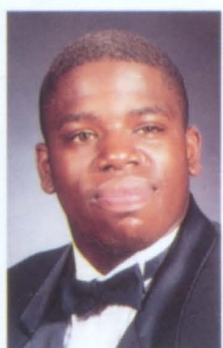
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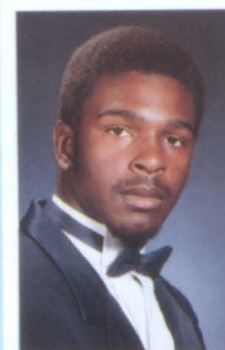
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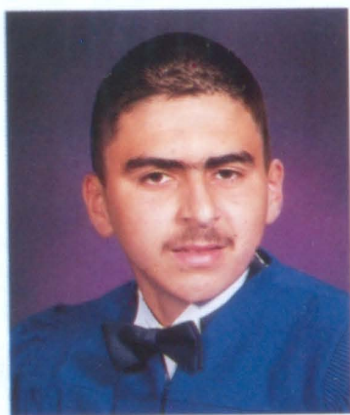
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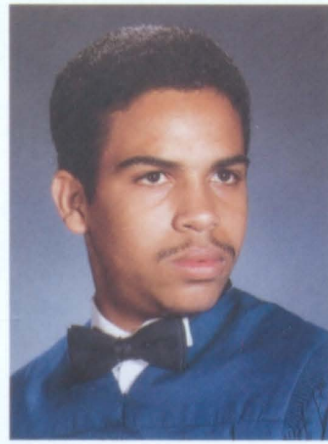
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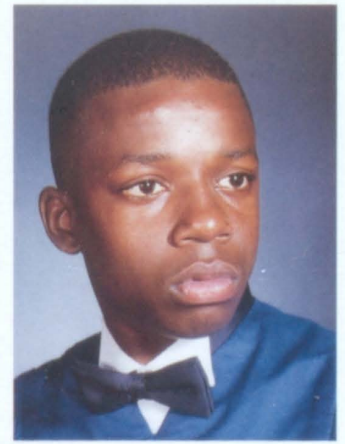
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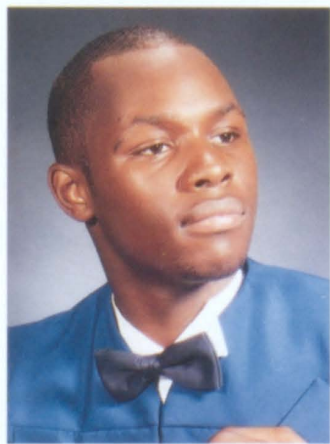
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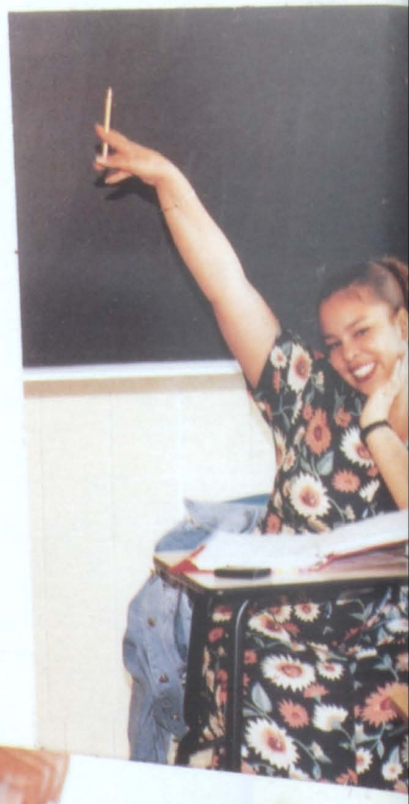


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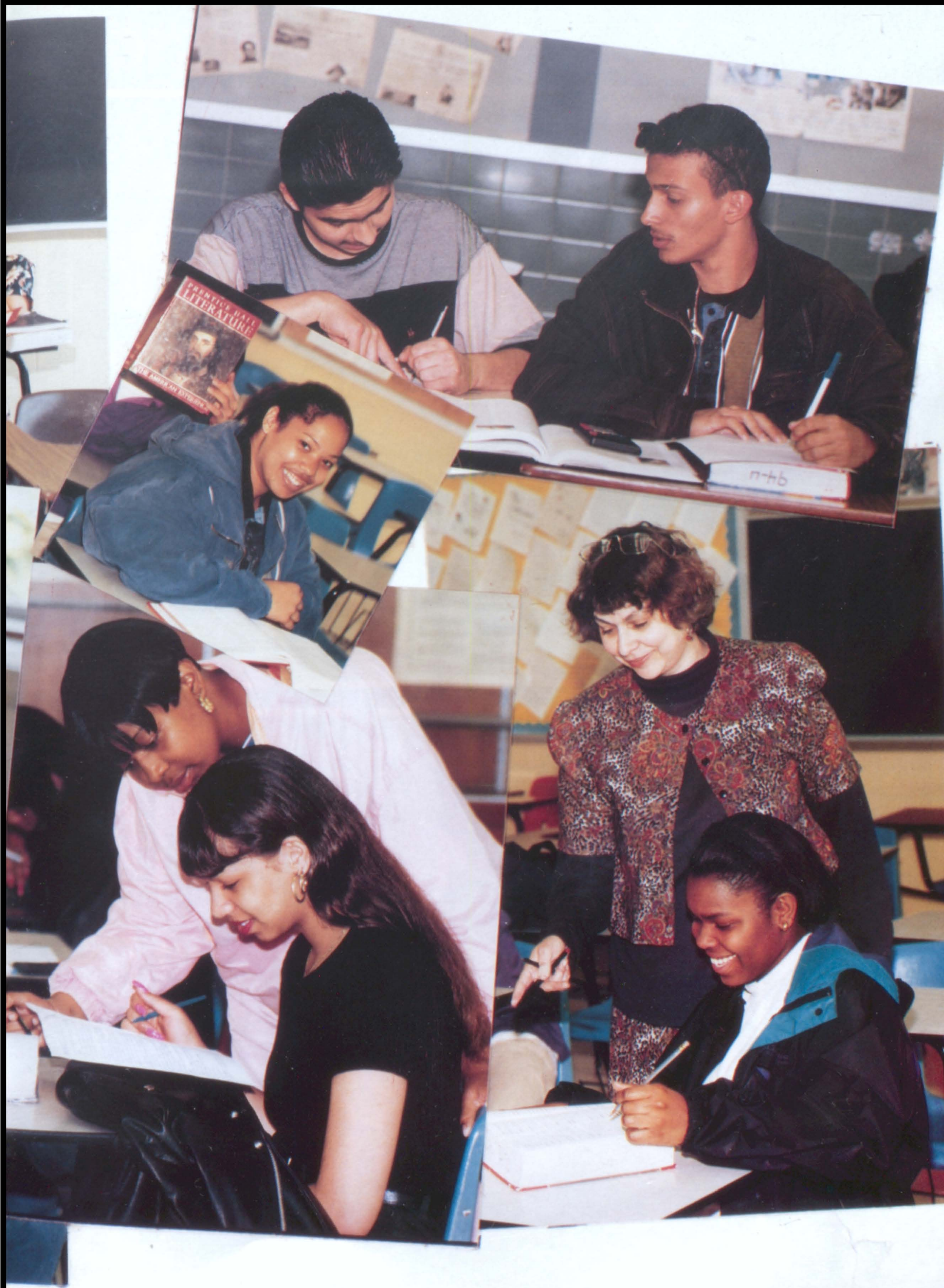
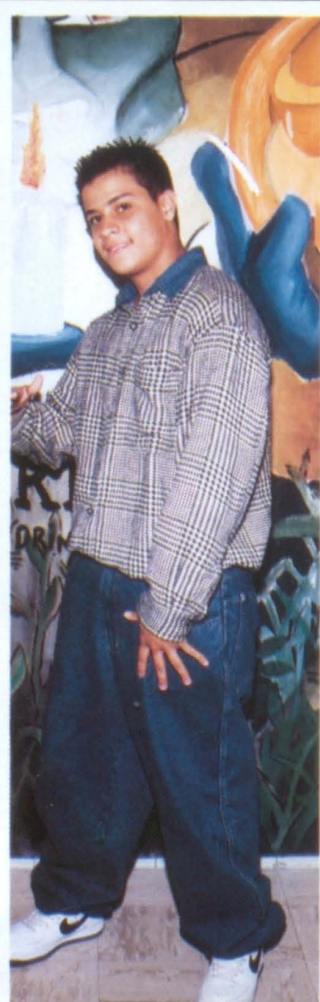
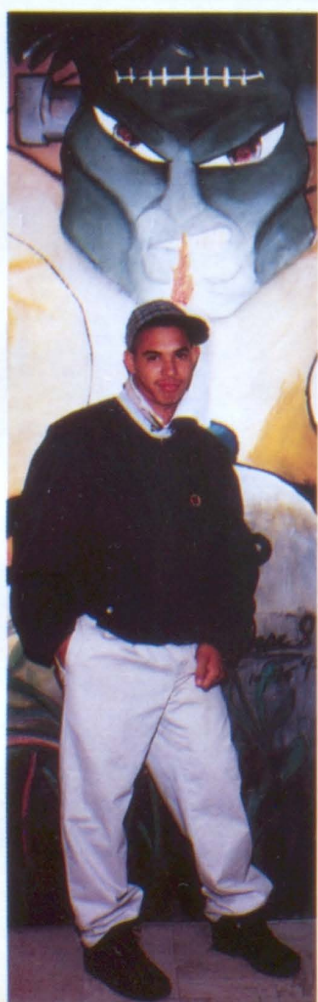
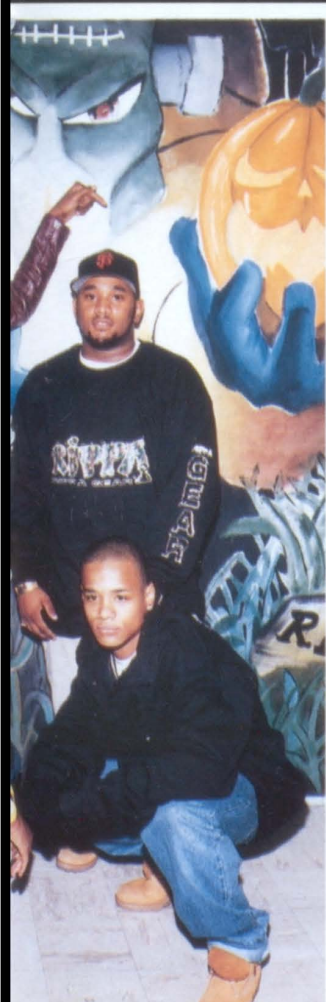
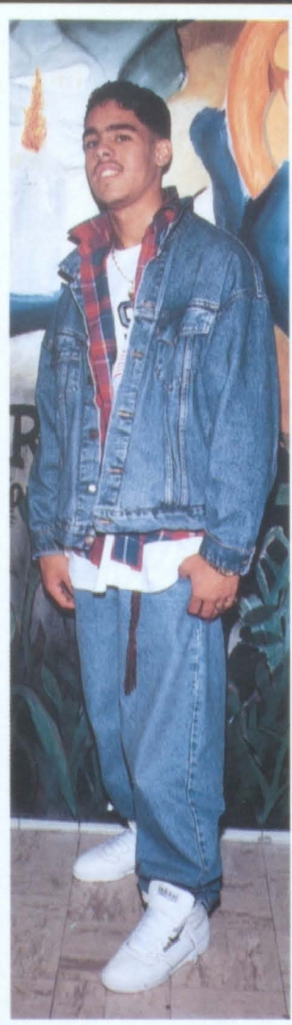
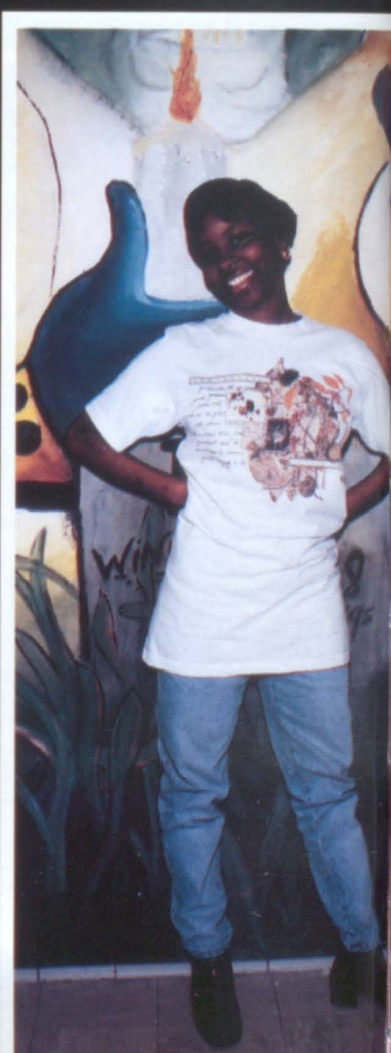
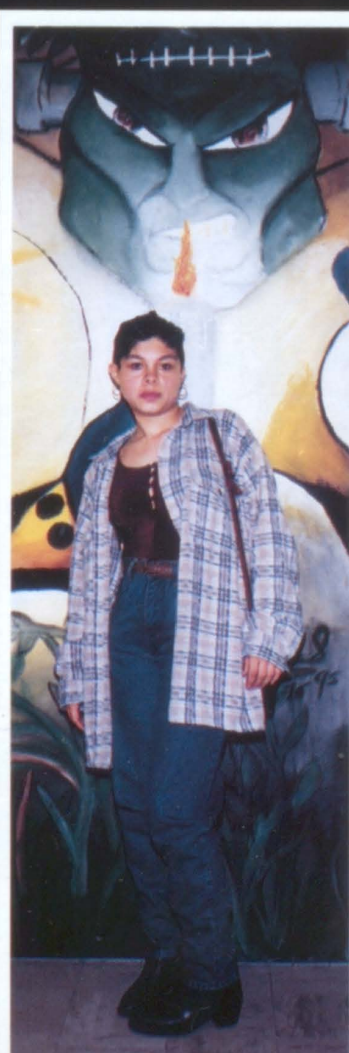
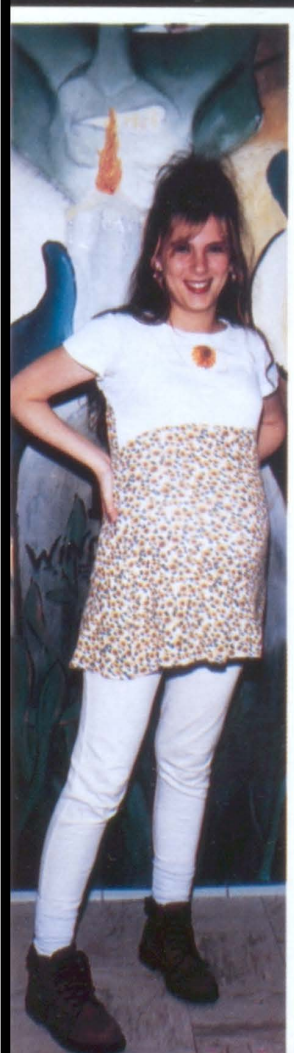
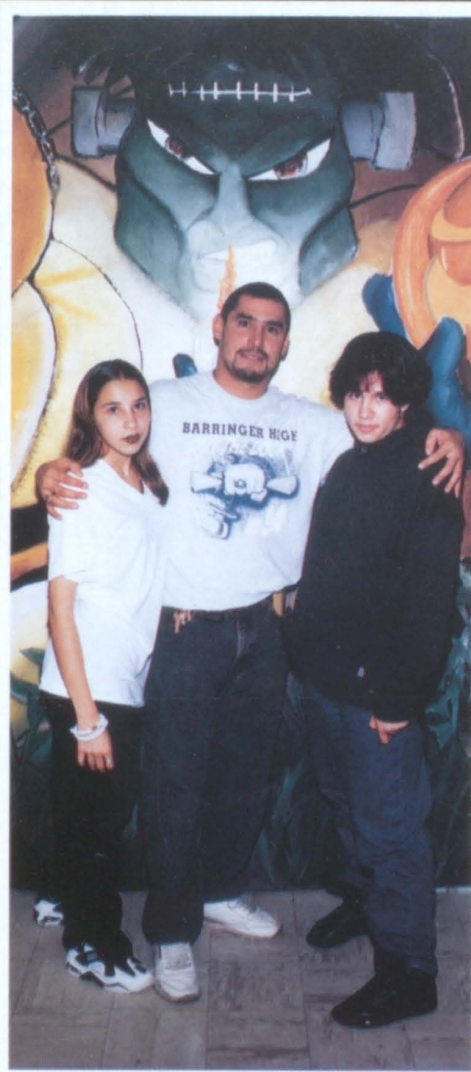


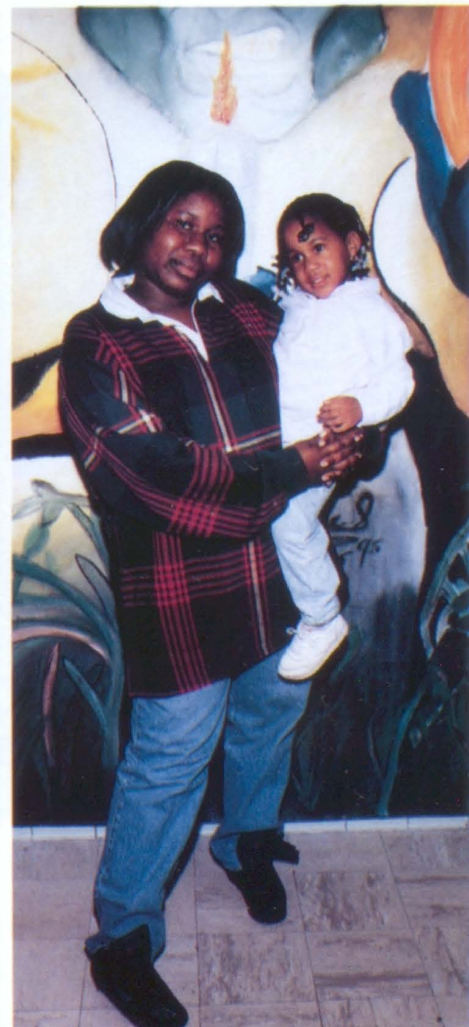
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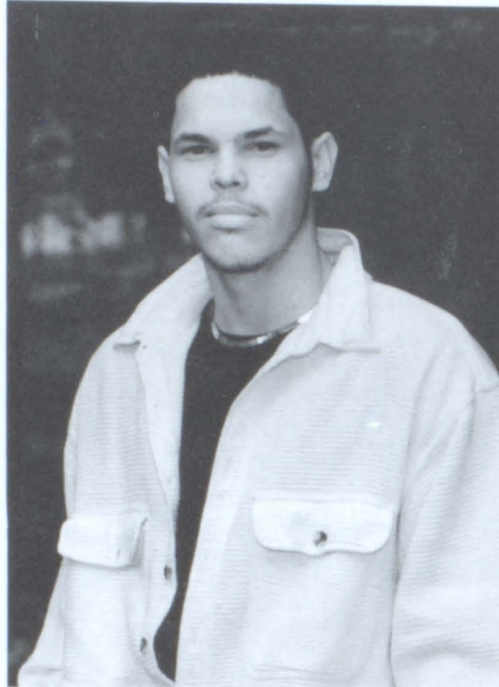
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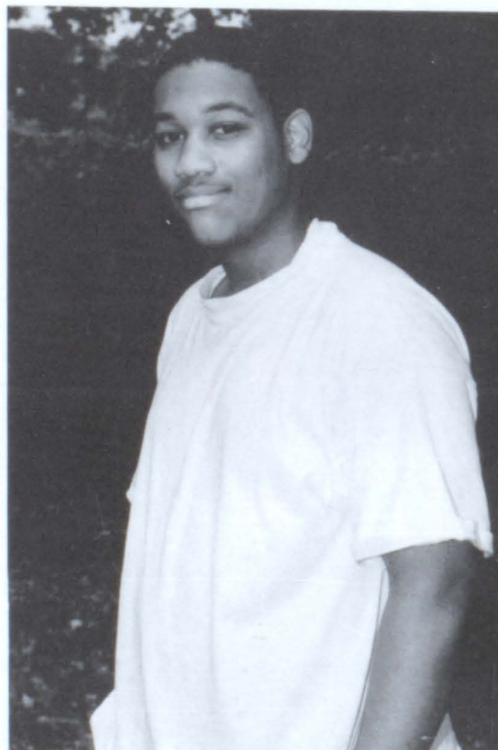
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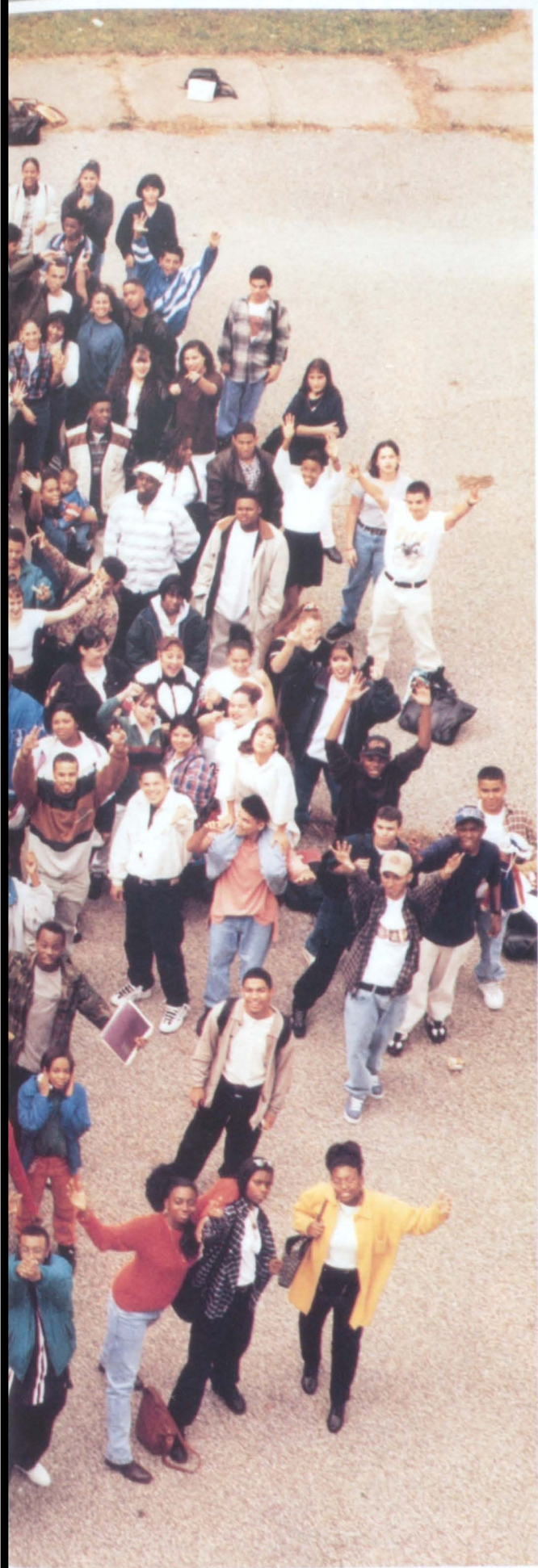


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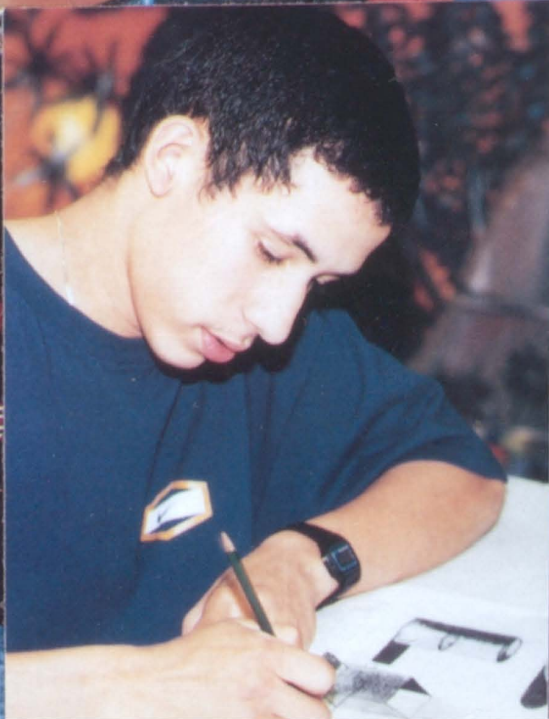
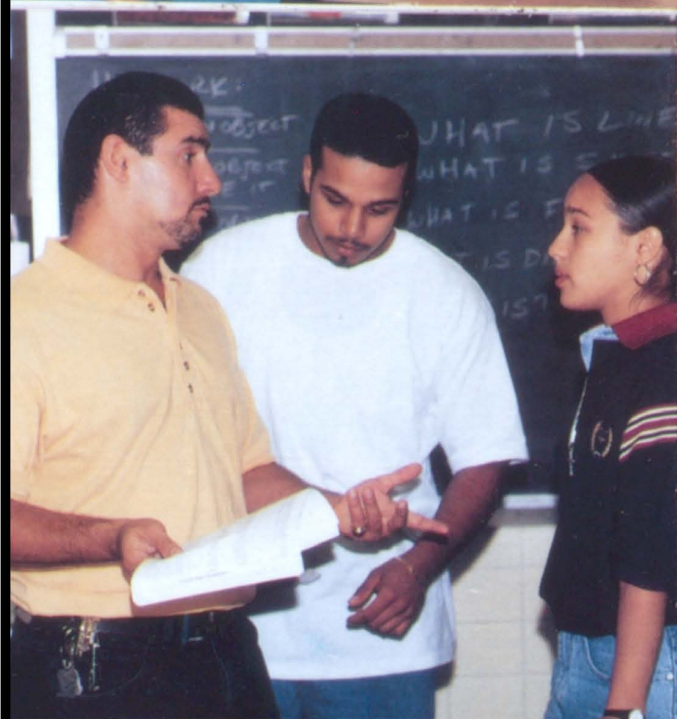
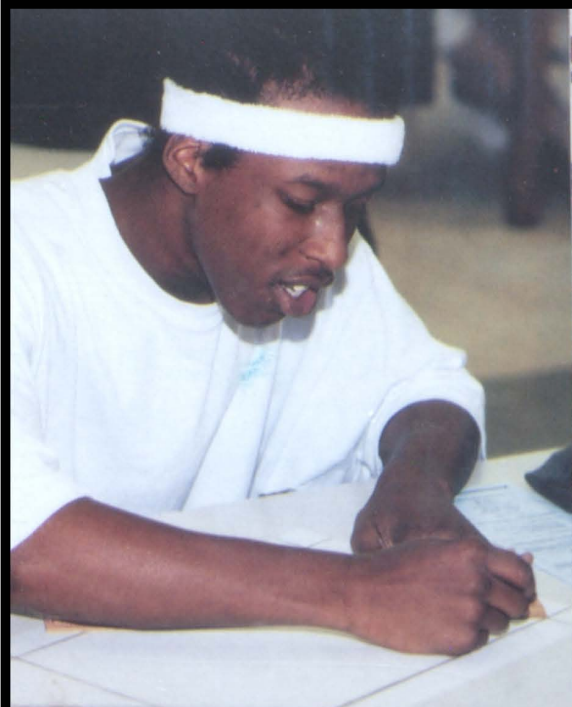




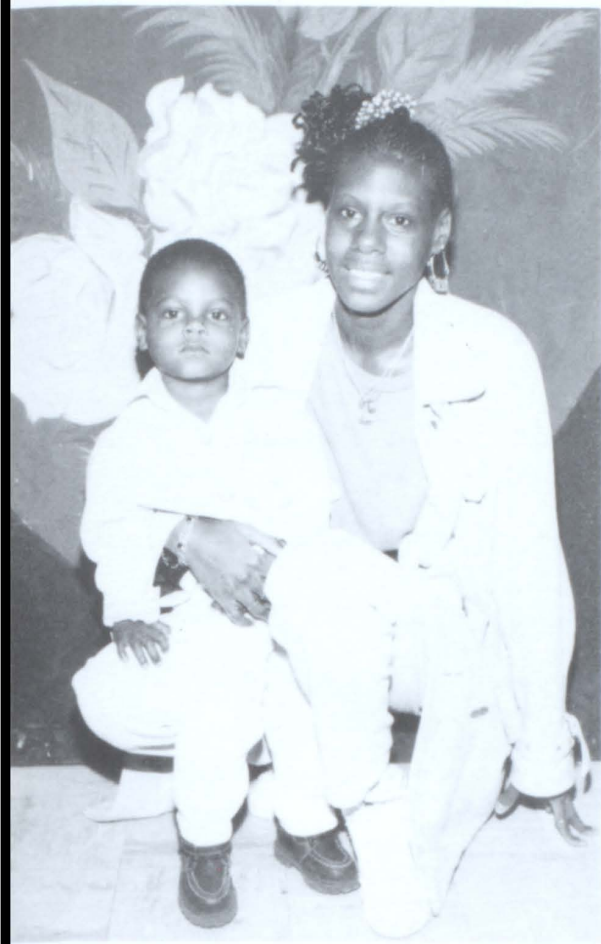
Class

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Valentine Photo Fantasy



Leading the Karate class, Sensai Fred Vafaei demonstrates proper kicking form.

Pondering his next move, Eric Smith looks for an opening.



At the Homecoming game, Chantay Hollenback and Amine Gardner proudly hold the Blue Bear banner.



Demonstrating correct bench press technique, Mary Garcia raises the bar as Ms. Helen Carnegie makes suggestions.



Just before her art exam, Alisha Chatham acknowledges she's ready for her A.



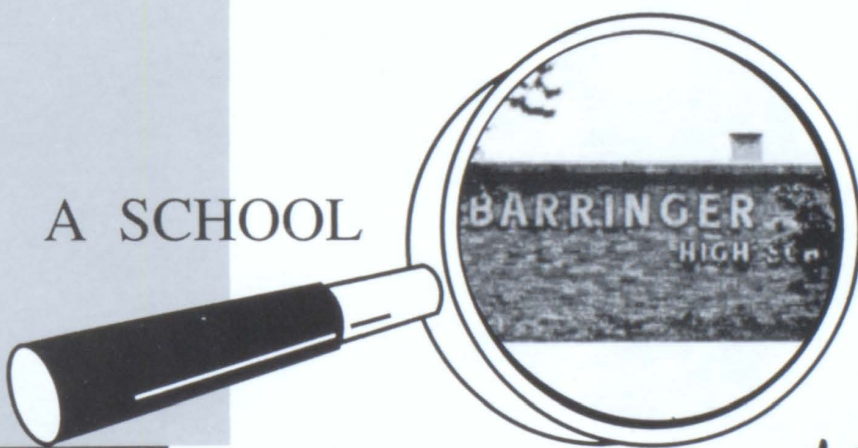
Activities



With their eyes focused on the photographer, students of Mr. Michael Santucci stop to check out the commotion.



A SCHOOL



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Cheerleaders - Marching Band - Twirlers - Color

The Cheerleaders, Marching Band, Twirlers, and Color Guard are the source of entertainment for Barringer football games, pep rallies, concerts and parades. While the Marching Band plays enthusiastic music the Twirlers, Cheerleaders and Color Guard perform artistic and dramatic dance movements to promote school spirit in the players and viewers. They also provide music at the school concerts and assemblies. The 1995-96 Marching Band and Color Guard is advised by Ms. Rochelle Tominic, Twirler advisor - Mrs. Habeeb Ra'Oof Malik, Cheerleader advisor Ms. Karen Parsons.



Dizeki Humphrey on drums at the big game.



James Bridgeforth, Hollister Hunter, James Germany, Aminea Gerdner.



Cheerleader advisor, Ms. Karen Parsons.



Twirler advisor, Mrs. Malik and Band director Ms. Tominjc.

Guard



Top left: A. Nelson, L. Moore, D. Washington, A. Wiggins, H. Hunter, F. Bradley, J. Bridgeforth, D. Humphrey, M. Gbor, C. Hollenback, D. Garcia, J. Germany, R. Santana, R. Gbor, J. Boone, W. Disla, A. Gardner, J. Rosa, M. Rodriguez, N. Cruz, T. Cole, O. Thomas, T. Cherry, D. Pickett, D. Williamson, Z. Thomas, L. Montanez.



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Co-Editors in Chief, Macdella Cooper and Rosmond Ferguson review 1996 yearbook.

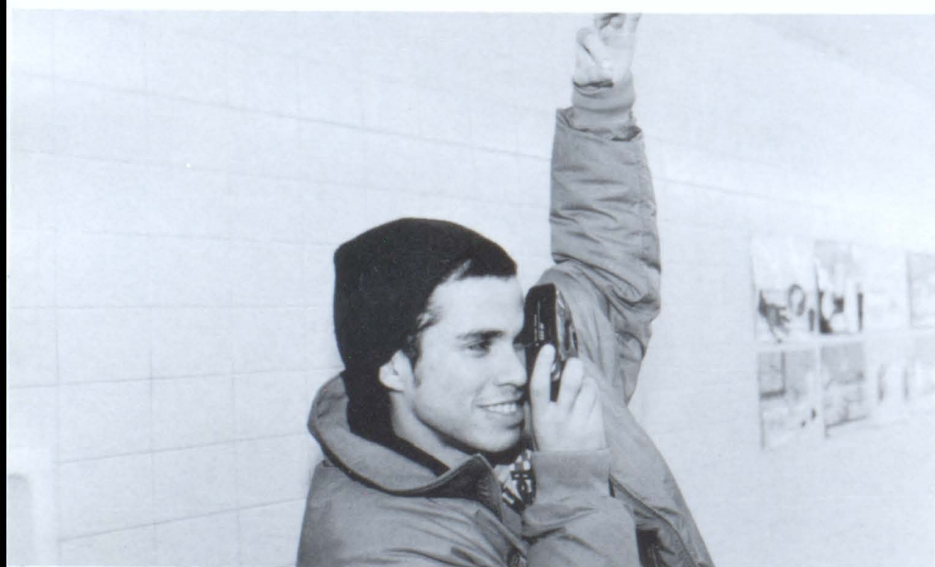
Barringer's writers, layout designers, photographers, artists, and editors are all working together to create a memorable book that graduates will treasure a lifetime. As part of the Athenaeum staff, these dedicated Students spent long hours after school, every day to meet deadlines. The yearbook staff is coached by Mr. Sal Di Gerlando, a veteran advisor of 26 years.



Mariela Gabriel, Jeansy Vasquez, Leidy Bautista.

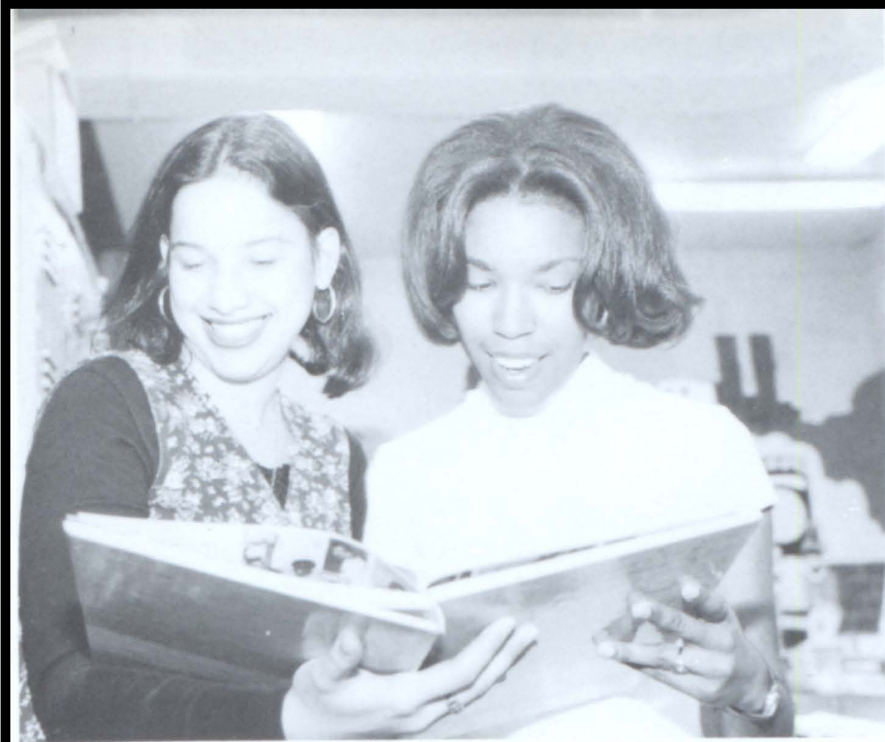


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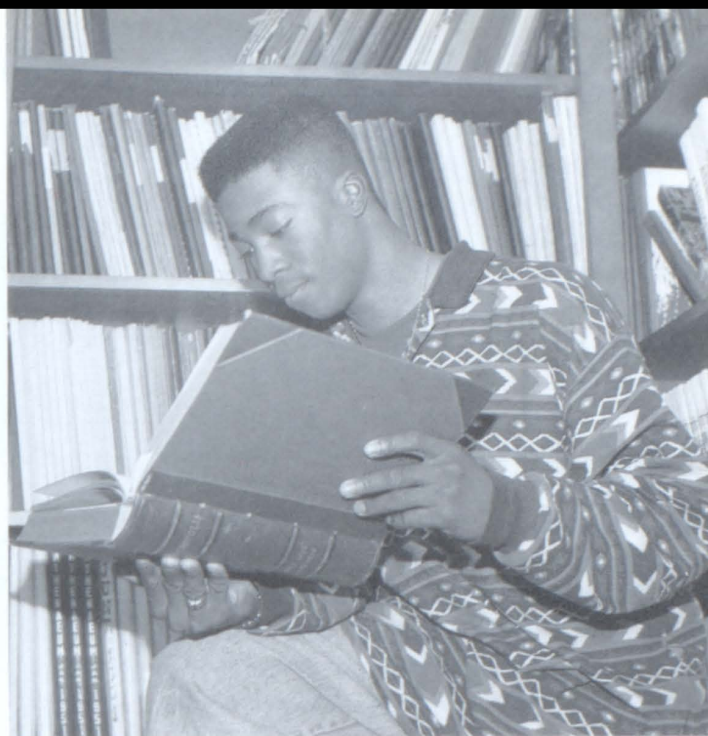


Photographer Rafael Padilla sets up a shot.





Sections Editor Marisol Cortes and Leidy Bautista look far back in history to an old yearbook.



Faculty Editor Jonah Olayinka researches yearbook material.



Di Gerlando, Jessica Badilla, Barry Parker, Okoh, Rosmond Ferguson, Leidy Bautista,



Directory Editor Stephan Garcia and Layout Editor Jessica Badilla finalize a layout.



Sports Editor Ijeoma Okoh and Rosmond Ferguson share ideas of a new layout design.

Chorus

With inspiration from their advisor, the Chorus is able to provide beautiful music that will entertain guests and listeners at Barringer's concerts, assemblies, and other occasions. Every other day the members meet with their advisor, Mrs. Beatrice Herring, who teaches them the value of their singing, and how to maintain well controlled voices for their performances. Yearly concerts are presented to students by the Chorus to fund their field trips.



R. Corea, B. Isaac, H. Hunter, F. Mouphouet, C. Bowman, D. Williamson, D. Booker, C. Jackson, L. Bell, L. Montanez.



T. Hines, D. Rodriguez, B. Isaac, H. Hunter, D. Alerte, B. Wright, L. Williams, A. Edwards, K. Fladger, T. Barley, M. Roldant, H. Jones, R. Rivera, F. Mouphouet, J. Melendez, L. Williams, M. Johnson, M. Perez, J. Rivera, C. Cestero, J. Goden, L. Smith, X. Santiago, L. Montanez, T. Thigpen, D. Williamson, C. Gamble, L. Sanders, R. Santchar, D. Booker, D. Abreu, P. Herard, S. Alexander, G. Berry, C. Bowman, E. Smith, A. Delgado, E. Szymanski, J. Alers, C. Jackson, L. Bell, T. Cole.

Project Close-up

The Project Close-up Foundation, which was originated in Washington D.C, is available in various schools around the United States and South America. Close-up students are encouraged to become involved in political, and social problems on the local, federal and international level. The Barringer branch of Project Close-up takes two trips annually, one to Trenton, and the other to Washington D.C. During those six days participating members meet with other Close-up members from all over the U.S and South America. The Barringer branch of Close-up is sponsored by Mr. Pat Washam.



Close-up members, J. Rodriguez, R. Rios, S. Matos, C. Garcia, M. Molina, K. Gaskins, S. Hall, K. Zelaya, L. Velez, S. Welch, C. Seguna, J. Santiago, Mr. P. Washam, S. Gordon, M. Aquino, M. Cooper, W. Maldonado, M. Valentin.



Advisor Mr. P. J. Washam, Soledad Matos, Maddella Cooper, Sekera Hall, and Keisha Gaskins locate information on a chart.

Senior Class Committee

The Senior Class Committee consists of committed seniors who volunteer to aid the advisor in arranging class activities over the course of the year. The members provide the class with the opportunity to voice their opinions concerning topics pertaining to the class. The Committee plan many fund raisers such as school balls, photo fantasy days, and bakes sales to raise money that will benefit the class. The class of 1995=96 is sponsored by Mr. Wilson Martinez.



Carmen Cruz, Jamilla Morgan, Tishia Bell, Leidy Montinez, Julisa Ramos, Daniel Zamora, Fernando Colon, Stephen Garcia, Che Jones.

Junior Class Committee

Seizing an early start, in preparation for the senior year, is the objective of the Junior Class Committee. The class develops projects to fund the expensive graduation activities that will occur next year. The advisors, Ms. Karen Parsons and Mrs. Sylvia Plant, are at the helm, always encouraging and stimulating the members to succeed.



Co-advisor Mrs. Karen Parsons

Co-advisors Mrs. Sylvia Plant and Ms. Karen Parsons collecting funds for the class.



Computer Graphics Club



Jeancy Vazquez and computer technician Johann Sanchez

Computer technology is emerging as the popular research field of the 90's. Whenever we turn on the television, we are bombarded with images that computers have shaped. Computer Graphics is a club advised by Mr. Sal Di Gerlando, for students who have an interest in using the computer as a design tool. The members are trained to generate graphics, and use software to create professional publications. Alumni who have participated in this club have utilized their knowledge of the computer in the business environment.



Leidy Bautista, Latricia Russell, Macdella Cooper, Marisol Cortes sending a correspondence online.



Latricia Russell, Tamara Gabriel and Nancy Troche receive an E-mail from their correspondent.



Jonah Olayinka, Miguel Hernandez, and Edward Molina design a new layout.



Advisor, Mr. Sal Di Gerlando, Nancy Troche, Leidy Bautista, Macdella Cooper, Tamara Gabriel, Edward Molina, Miguel Hernandez, Jonah Olayinka, Latricia Russell, Marisol Cortes, and Rosmond Ferguson.

The Karate Club

When one is forced to use self-defense, it is useful to have knowledge of one of the martial arts. At Barringer, the Karate club, which is sponsored by Mr. Fred Vafaie, a 2nd degree black belt and certified instructor of Tae Kwon Do, is taught the art of self-defense and more. The club is open to all Barringer students who are willing to practice hard, and maintain self-discipline. The members primary goals are to train regularly, stay in excellent physical shape, be respectful to everyone, increase self-confidence and self-control, maintain good attendance, and be successful in academic work. Club members frequently compete in statewide karate tournaments.



Iris J. Torres, Nancy Mendez, Brunilda Noyold, Blanca Iris Mendez, Kathy Pacheco, Sandra Villatoro, Susana Ramon, Guidel Hidalgo, Katherine Soto, Angel Mercado, Elvis Lugardo, Auda Cruz, Ricardo Mendez, Alred Nelson, Misael Rodriguez, Gefri Gatón, Clepps Hernandez, Luis Gonzalez, Jose Ferrandez, Rafael Padilla, and Gilberto Rivero. Mr. Fred Vafaie is in the center.



Sensai Vafaie observes form as the Karate Club practices the front kick.



Before learning basic kata, the beginner exercises must be mastered.



While taking attendance, Sensai Vafaie asks for his student's attention.



After completing the stretching exercises, the club members concentrate on the beginning of the karate class.

Academic Decathlon



Marisa Morris, Ms. D. Stridacchio, Rosmond Ferguson, Seitu Braitwaite, Shane Kershaw, Taméka Dunn

The Academic Decathlon is a series of interscholastic competition for high school teams held nationwide to encourage and reward academic effort and excellence. On March 2, 1996, Barringer High school students and coach Ms. Donna Stridacchio boarded a bus at 6:30 a.m. to Randolph High School to compete against 18 schools in Morris Academic Decathlon competition. As the name suggests, the Decathlon consists of 10 events. Six of them are written in the fields of mathematics, science, economics, literature, and fine arts. In addition, each team member presents a prepared speech and an impromptu speech, writes an essay and is interviewed by a panel of business people. The last event, the Super Quiz, the only portion for the public, is a truly exciting climax to the day long competition. However, the team had to wait one week for the results, which were announced at the awards banquet at Parsippany High School. Ms. Stridacchio, announced that Carlos Mendez won a bronze medal, (third place) for his essay, and Angel Abdool won fourth place in the science competition. the team members spent many hours studying and working together to prepare for this competition. Ms. S. said, "The unity and cohesiveness that the team shared was phenomenal."



Advisor Ms. Donna Stridacchio

Youth Alive

Youth Alive is a religious based club that promotes the positive values of integrity, honesty, courage (to do what is right), enthusiasm, hope, faith in God, and friendship and love (selfless concern for others). Youth Alive is open to all Barringer High School students regardless of race, religion, national origin or political affiliation. The club is sponsored by Mr. Frank V. Tansey.



Youth Alive advisor Mr. Tansey



Mr. Frank Tansey, Lucila Alers, Marta Vega, Yollanda Vega, Canda Vega, Jessica Alvers, David Rosario, Joey Melendez, Mai Roldant



National Honor Society advisor Ms. Stridacchio



class of 95-96 valedictorian Stephen Garcia checks out the prom site.

The National Honor Society

The National Honor Society members must meet high standards of scholarship. During the school year, the society offers service to the school. These students are distinguished at graduation by the wearing of goal tassels. The Honor Society is sponsored by Ms. Donna Stridacchio.



Ms. Donna Stridacchio, Edgardo Perez, Jamilette Gomez, Jeancy Vazquez, Miguel Diaz, Stephen Garcia, Seitu Bratwaite, Qadeer Parrish, Klaitu Richards, Jonah Olayinka, Karina Alvarado, Elas Santigo, Latisa Bell, Danyelle Williamson, Rosmond Ferguson, Leidy M. Bautista, Jeffery Warren and Macdella Cooper not pictured.

The Future Business Leader of America

The Future Business Leaders of America is sponsored by Mr. William McGuin. The club consists of future chief executives officers, accountants, entrepreneurs, and stock brokers all preparing to make waves in the world of business. The FBLA gives the student the opportunity to explore the business world, and their area of interest by taking field trips to various industries, and companies such as Prudential, the World Trade Center and First Fidelity Bank. These trips enable the members to get an insight into the business environment.



FBLA president Marisol Cortes checks on a field trip.

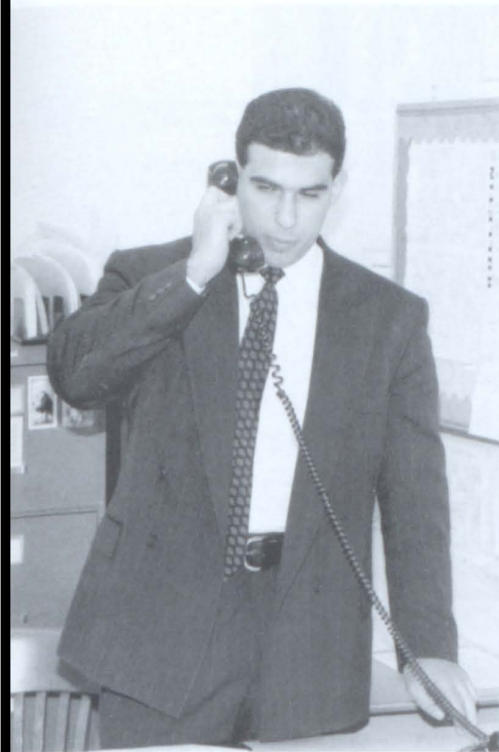


Club advisor Mr. William McGuin addresses the group.



Demion Halley, Temika Cole, Frank Lopez, Langston Moore, Lateefah Gary, Charlene Bowman, Shakia Valle, Milagros Peres, Ariel Rios, Marisol Cortes, Mr. William McGuin.

The Educational Travel Club



Club advisor Mr. Alvero Cores checks on bus availability.



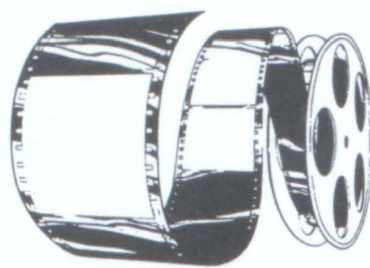
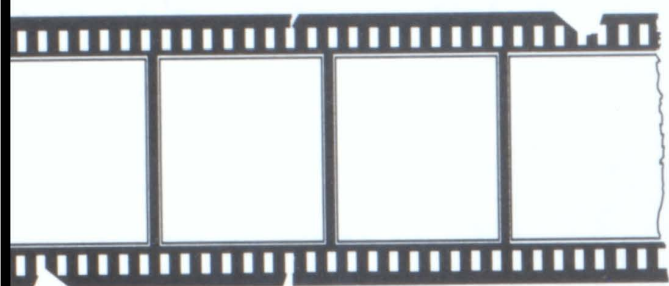
Education Travel President Macdella Cooper plans a group excursion.

The Educational Travel Club blends two different subjects: education and travel. Members explore various areas within our community, and outside. States such as Washington DC, Pennsylvania and New York are examples of places this club has studied. Another source of educational travel is through the internet, and a club newsletter which is published for students all over the nation. The Educational Travel Club, as a group, has visited the Metropolitan Museum and other art galleries in New York. The Educational Travel Club is advised by Mr. Alvero Cores.



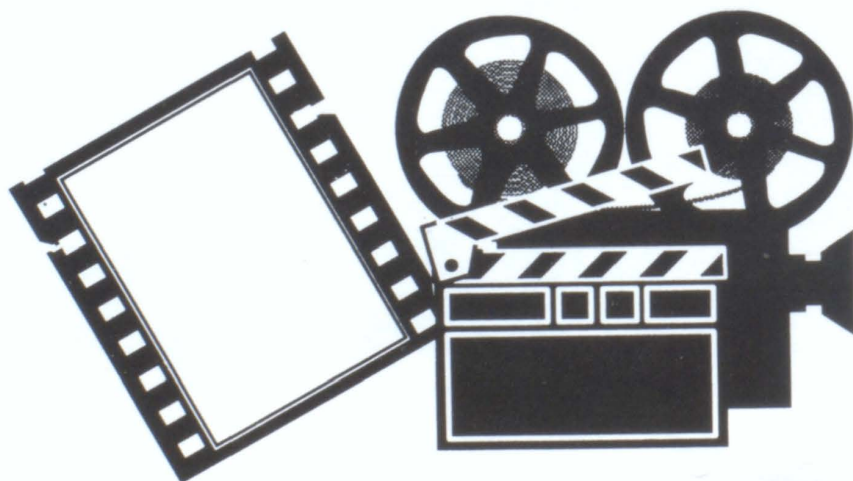
Macdella Cooper, Diann Hiamond, Amina Crowder, Shadik, Nelson, and Advisor Mr. Alvero Cores.

The Video Production Club



The advancement of modern technology has infused feature films with special effects, many of which are now available on personal video cameras. Members of this club learn about the world of video production, and the techniques necessary to create exciting movies. The Video Production Club is sponsored by Mr. Sal Di Gerlando.

Stephen Garcia, Ijeoma Okoh, Jessica Padilla, Edward Molina, Leidy Bautista, Jonah Olayinka, Mr. Sal Di Gerlando, Rosmond Furguson, and Macdella Cooper.



Photography



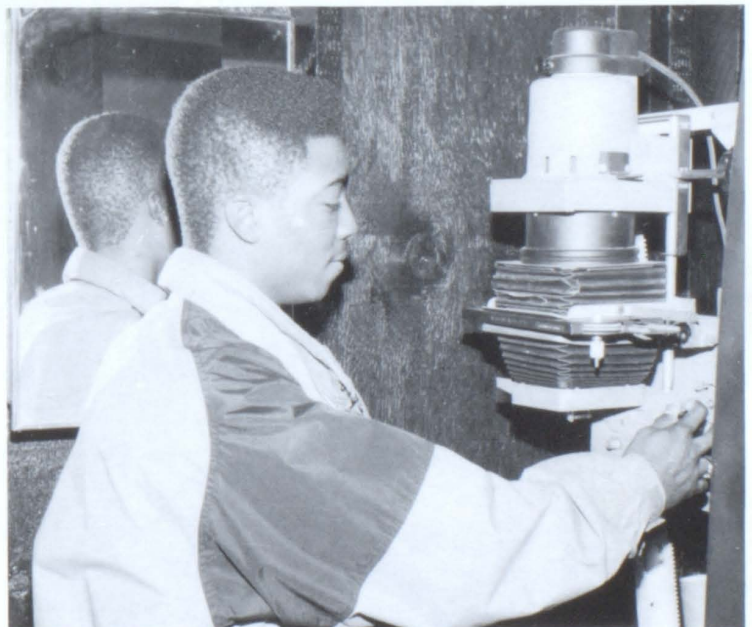
Stephen Garcia checks temperature of the developing chemical.



Leidy Bautista and Macdella Cooper mix chemicals for film development.



Jonah Olayinka and Rosmond Ferguson place a negative in the enlarger.



Lab chemist, Jonah Olayinka sets enlarger for correct photo size.

The Future Teachers of America



Steven Hoys, Teicher Belfield, Amina Garner, Claudia Zachery, Leida Martinez, Sandra Ayola, Ricardo Corea.

Teachers are a part of the framework of our society. The Future Teachers program consists of students who are interested in education as a profession. This club, which is advised by Mrs. Mildred Ceceri, Mr. Paul Miller and Ms. Lucille Serra, allows students to learn more about the teaching field, and discover if they have what it takes to be a teacher. Students enrolled in this program must have a C average or higher.



Rashia Thomas, Amina Garner, Claudia Zacharey, Sandra Ayola, Teicher Belfield, Koren Allen, Arelis Koren, Elira Lao, Steven Hoys, Mr. Miller, Ricardo Corea, Maria Rodriguez, Leida Perez.

Exercise and Nutrition Club



Alba Cruz, Coach Carnegie, Dianne Hyman, Candice Molina, Lorenia Robinson, Lydia, Mary Garcia, Jasmine Rosa, Kanha Alverado, Kathy Molina, Amy Delgado Kanha Alverado, Elsa Santiago, Ariaceliz Ortiz, Glenda Nieves.

The Exercise/Nutrition Club, which is sponsored by Ms. Helen Carnegie, meets three times a week in the exercise room, after school, to learn about nutritious foods, and how to keep the body in shape. This club also works as a catalyst to improve the student self-esteem towards schoolwork. Participants work out, play sports, and are advised by professional trainers at the YMWCA.



Coach Carnegie advises Elsa Santiago on the leg extension machine.



While holding on to the hand bars, Lydia takes a spin on the tread mill.



"No pain, no gain," says Kanha Alverado, as she shapes up on the Pec machine.



A. Ortiz, A. Delgado and L. Robinson race on the stationary bicycles.



Alba Cruz strengthens her legs with the leg press machine.

The Art Club

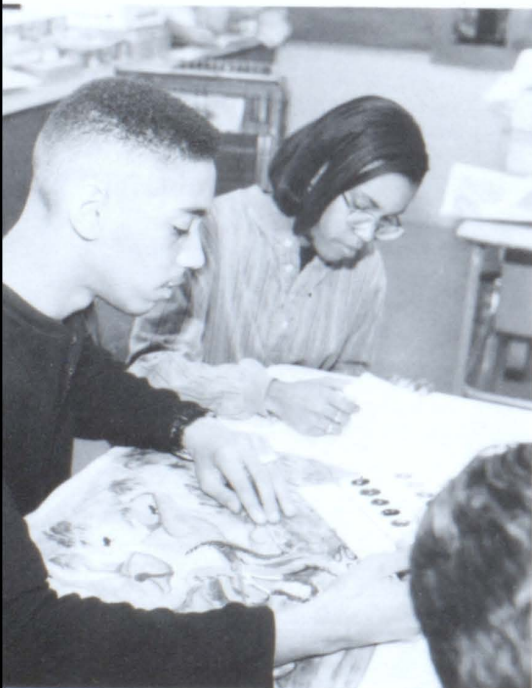
The purpose of the Art Club is to give those who wish to make art a career, and those who just like to dabble, an opportunity to develop their artistic skills. During the year, the club sponsors bake sales and art exhibitions to celebrate Art Appreciation Month, which takes place in March. Their goal is to make murals throughout the school, and sponsor a t-shirt contest to raise money to pay for their activities. Club sponsor, Ms. Denise Alamo advises the members on how to make their art work more creative and desirable.



Ms. Denise Alamo and Latish Moore design a new mandala.



Artist Edward Molina creates a future masterpiece.



Windrin Crisostomo and Leidy Bautista work on their poster assignments.



Gilberto Rivero, Ms. Denise Alamo, Leidy M. Bautista, Windrin Crisostomo, Marcial Menendez, Edward Molina. Bot (l-r) Javier Crespo, Edward Martinez, Miguel Hernandez. Club members missing from photo are: Nadirah Gordon, Oneisy Irizarry, Johanna Suero.

The Hospitality Club

The Hospitality Club, which is sponsored by Ms. Barbara Mackey, meets every Monday at 7:30 to 8:00 am to discuss, practise and learn social manners. Members also learn how to serve and prepare meals, which they do for special occasions at Barringer. One of the clubs favorite activity, is visiting local restaurants.



Ms. Barbara Mackey



Raheem Denson, Ms. B. Mackey, Dionne Hyman, Jamie Martinez, Salvey Young, Edyl Mendez, Quadera Chappell, Karen Davis, Igván Dobbins, Taia Richardson, Rahim Sanford, Melissa Esteves, Naida Cruz, Myisha Wilson, Dev. Singh, Barbara Black, Shatifah Williams, Taterwattie Gopee

Barringer Beautification Club

The Barringer Beautification Club was established by Ms. Donna Stradicchio and Ms. Lucia D'Alessandro. The club consists of student members who have established a goal to clean-up and maintain a suitable atmosphere during the school year. A general clean-up and envaluation is done during the meetings. The members work along with the custodian staff. Students will report any missing objects to the school director of custodians for replacement. The Beautification Club was established during the 1995-96 school year.



Lenare Carr, Ernest Mitchell, Johnny Guerrero, Luis Gonzalez, Rashia Thomas, Melissa Henandez, Ms. D. Stridaccio, Kaima Mitchell, Thung Thieu, Ms. D'Alessandro, Natasha Gonzalez, Marilyn Revera, Jackelyn Velez, Latrecitte Stubho, Yameka Dun.

Archives History

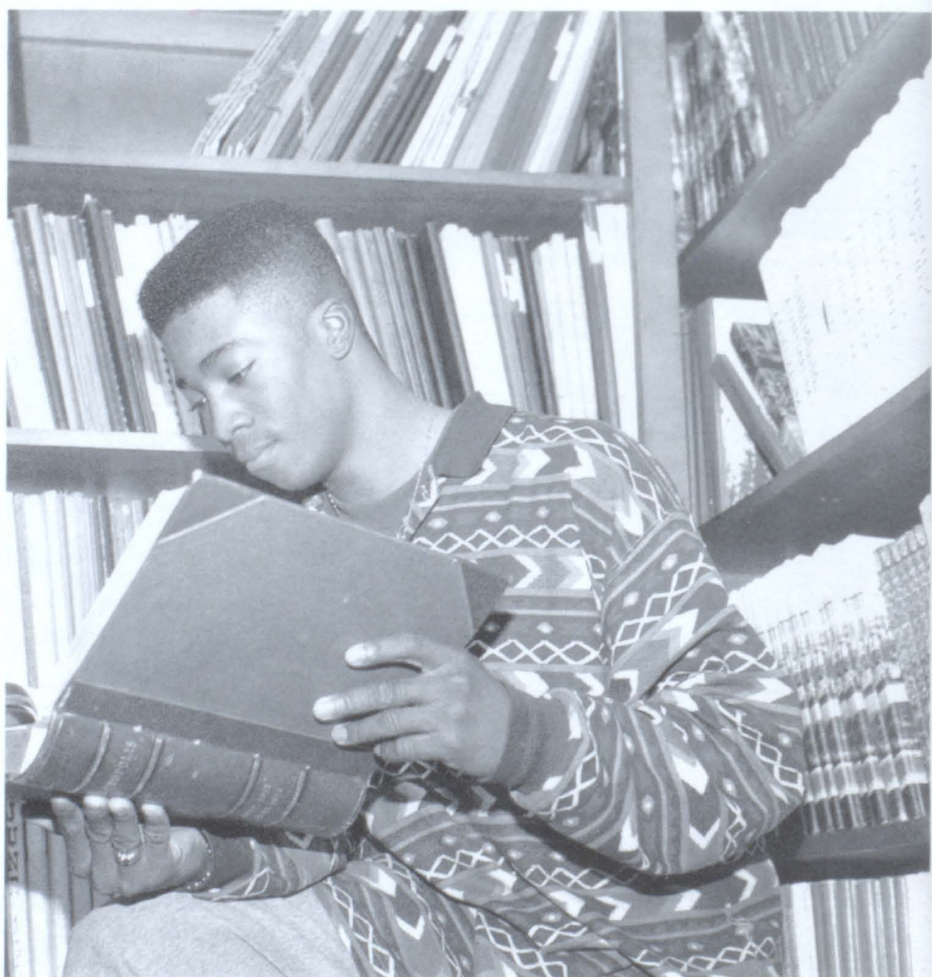
Barringer is the oldest public high school in New Jersey, and the third to be established in the U.S. The Archives History Club keeps track of the Barringer historic memorabilia which has been compiled over the years. Members of this activity collect, catalog and store historical documents and information about Barringer High school, which can date back to 1838.



Leidy Bautista, Johann Sanchez, Rosmond Furguson, Jonah Olayinka, Stephen Garcia, Macdella Cooper, Jose Soto, Ijeoma Okoh.



Leidy Bautista and Jeancy Vazquez research information.



Jonah Olayinka reviews Barringer tradition in previous yearbooks.

Macdella Cooper and Leidy Bautista view old Barringer newspapers.



Advisor Ms. Donna Stridacchio works her calculator.



Math club captain Jeancy Vazquez advising on a computer addition.

Math Club

The Math Club was formed to provide mathematical activities for the participating members. Advisor, Ms. Donna Stridacchio provides stimulating training for the members to help them prepare for the annual Math Olympics in May, which includes solutions to Geometry, Algebra, Trigonometry, Calculus, and other math problems.



Ms. Donna Stridacchio, Rashia Thomal, Lenar Carr, Luis Gonzalez, Belkis Espinell, Miguel Hernandez, Millisa Hernandez, Lareuette Stubbs, Suasana Ramana, Truang Theieu, Karima Mitchell, Marilyn Rivera, Gilberto Rivero, Natasha Gonzalez, Jeancy Vazquez, Jackelyn Velez, Jasmin Santos, Tameka Dunn.

Drama and Speech Team

The Speech Team and Drama Club, which are sponsored by Mrs. Antoinette Baskerville, prepare members for acting and public speaking roles. The Speech team participates in about fifteen tournaments, and the Drama Club sponsors a talent show and dinner theater production. The Speech Team has won many trophies, and each member has received individual recognition for their work and time they expend. Every year both clubs visit Broadway shows, the Apollo Theatre and local high schools.



SPEECH: Ms. D. Smith, J. Morgan, Muta Wells, J. Grrero, A. Beasley, J. Rosado, B. Wright, L. Hines, E. Smith, N. Ali, E. Mitchell, J. Qualls, T. Belfield, K. Byrd, C. Jones.



Laticia, Muta and Che conduct a dramatic role.



DRAMA: L. Montanez, K. Byrd, M. Walls, N. Ali, J. Morgan, L. Bells, E. Mitchell, J. Guerro, T. Belfield, Mrs. Baskerville,



Tiesher Belfield and Andy Beasley play a part.



Kevin B., Lady M. and Johnny G. prepare for a scene.

FRENCH INTERNATIONAL CLUB



Francisco Espinal, Diderot Alerte, Warner Gramajo, Mr. Lawrence Delvisco, Macdella Cooper

The French Club was organized by Mr. Lawrence Del Visco many years ago, to teach students about different cultures, in particular French, Italian, and Spanish. During the meetings of this club, members play games, and trade cultural interests. The members agreed that the fun loving part of this activity are the trips. The group takes two excursions during the year, one in the fall, and later an all you eat competition at Sizzler's restaurant in Caldwell. They usually end their visitation day with some shopping and award giving.



Jarron Matthews, Ivelisse Ramos, Francisco Espinal, Ivan Negron, Diderot Alerte, Rojean Pitts, Macdella Cooper, Warner Gramajo, Mr. L. Delvisco

The Chess Club

Chess is a competitive game where players have to develop problem solving skills and plan all the complex moves of the game. Besides that the game is just plain fun and relaxing. At the Chess Club tournament, which began April 16th, members were awarded trophies for first, second and third places. The Chess Club which is sponsored by Mr. Frank Cappuccio welcomes both teachers and students. Beginners too are welcome. The atmosphere surrounding the game is one of mental challenge, mutual respect, and enjoyment.



A. Quiroga, M. Williams, E. Smith, Mr. Cappuccio, J. Boone, M. Valera, Q. Chappell, D. Singh.



While playing the black, Quadera Chappel ponders her position.



Devi Singh contemplates her winning position.

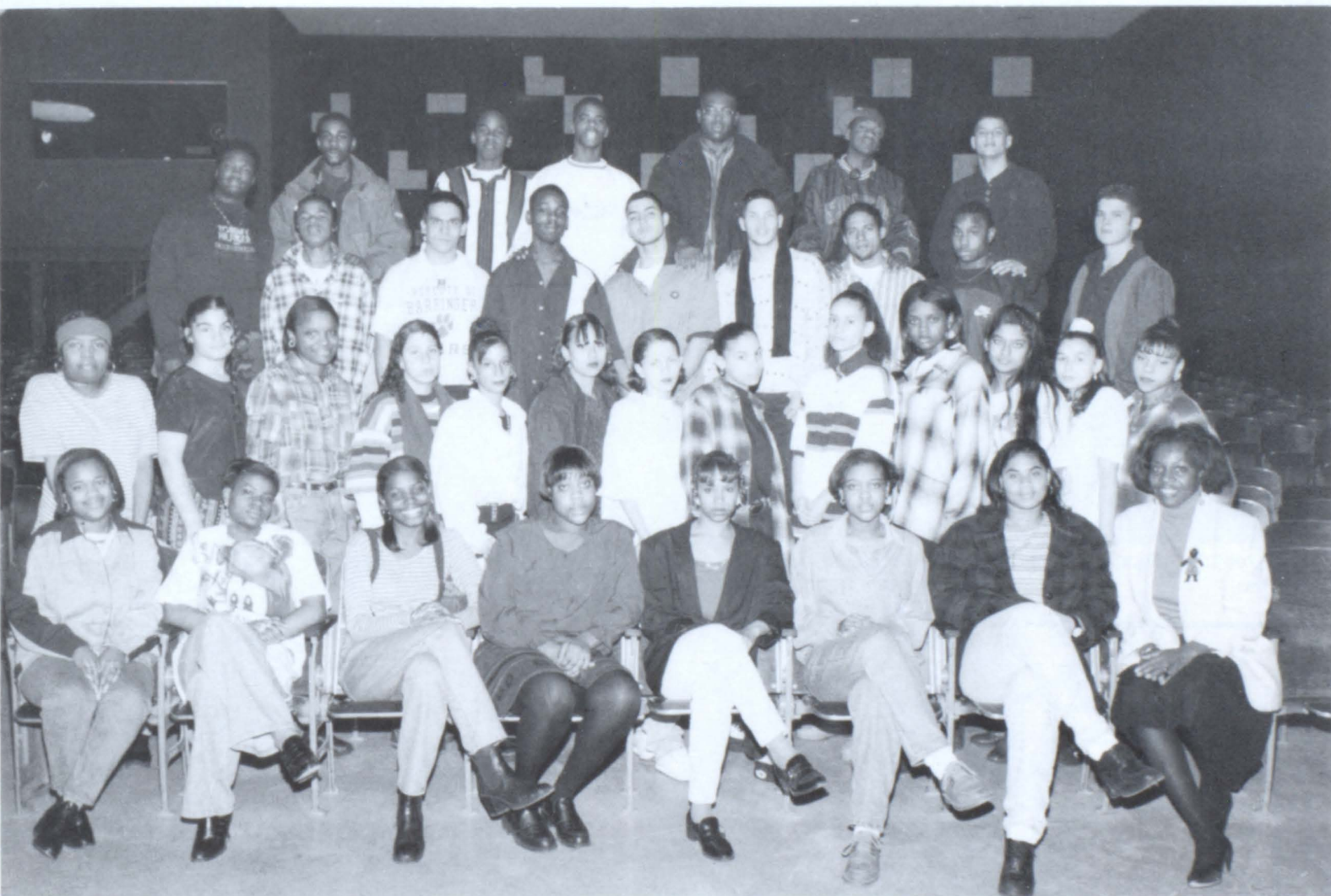
Time is of the essence, as white goes in for the checkmate.

The Student Council



Jarrod Mathews, Tiecher Belfield, Elivis Molina, Latricia Russell, Jameel Mathews, Katherine Soto, Ijeoma Okoh

The student council, which is sponsored by Ms. Deborah Smith, consists of a group of students who want to make sure the student body is educated in an atmosphere conducive for learning. The members also participate in programs such as the Thanksgiving Drive, which is a distribution of food on Thanksgiving to the less fortunate students in Barringer. The program helps students to organized governmental project and leadership training. The members get special awards at the end of the year for their hard work.



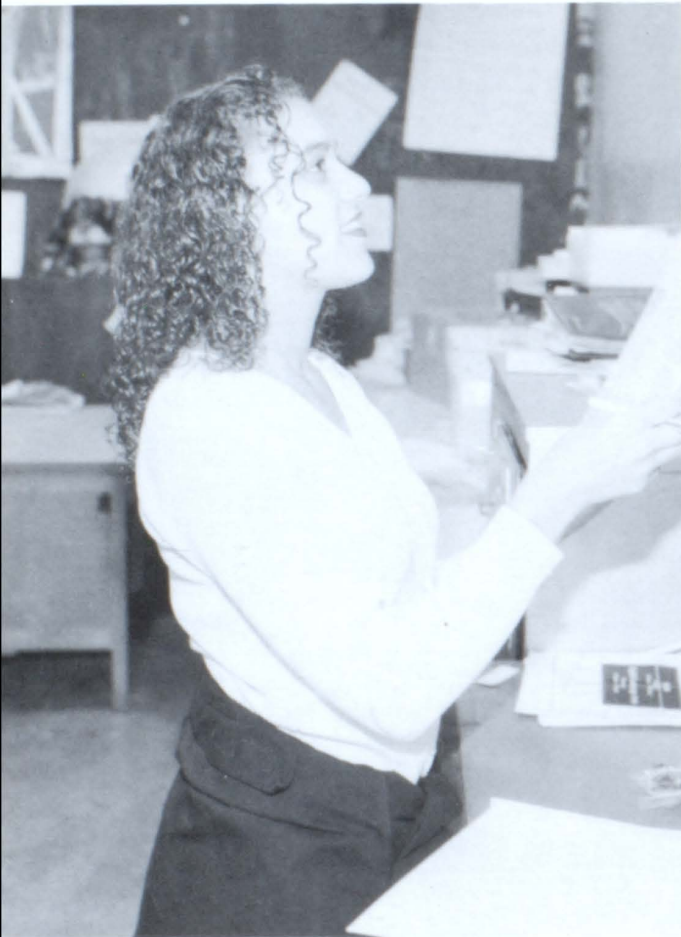
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Acropolis Staff

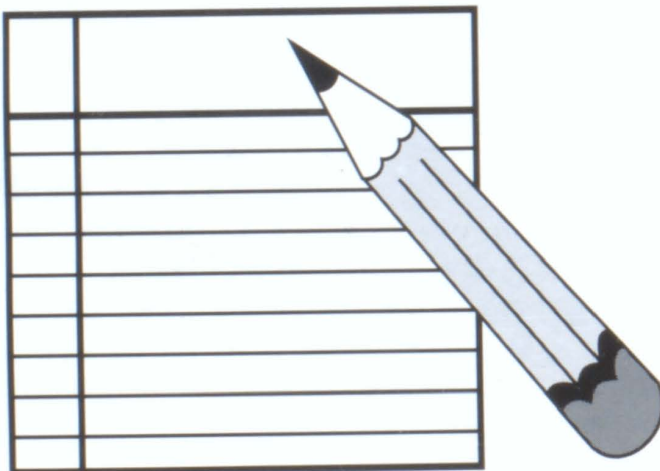
The Acropolis newspaper which is one of the oldest student newspapers in the country provides news and information for Barringer students, teachers, and parents. The staff includes students who volunteer their time and energy to research, investigate and write the news pertinent to Barringer and the teenager's world. Journalism, writing and news-casting are some of the professions former staff members have pursued. These students work with the encouragement, support and help from their advisor Mr. Sal Di Gerlando.



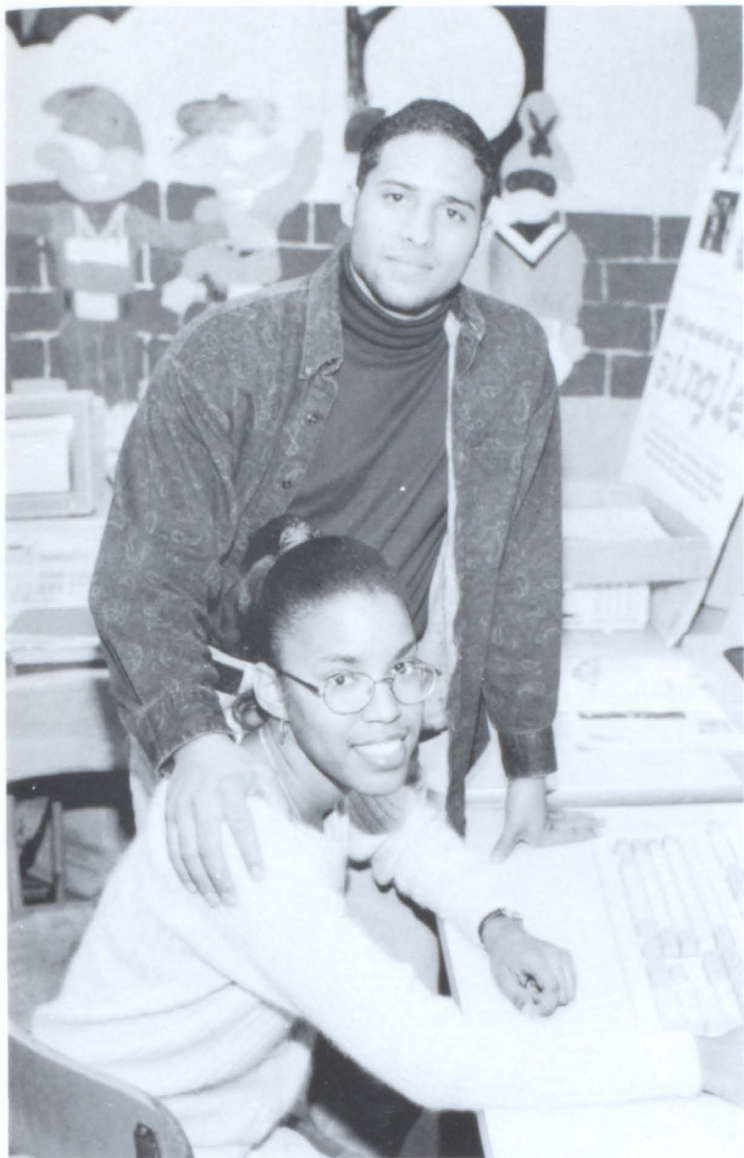
Before the scheduled meeting, advisor Mr. Di Gerlando and reporter Marisol Cortes take a break.



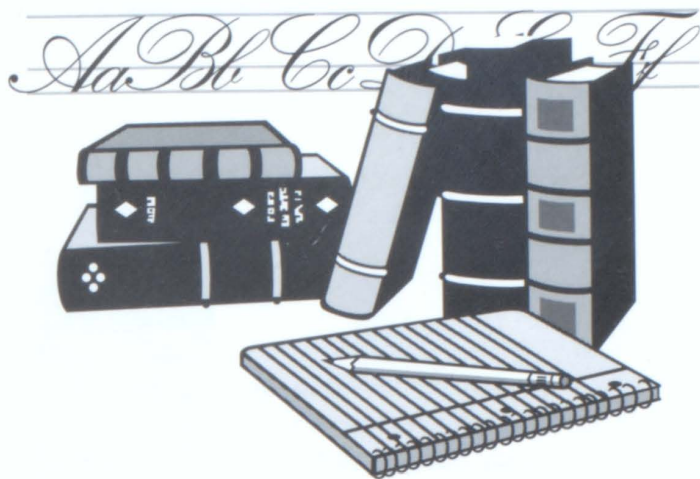
News reporter Jeancy Vazquez outlines stories to be covered.



Reporters Marisol Cortes and Jessica Badillo review a previous edition of the paper.



Illustrator Edward Molina, and Editor-in-Chief Leidy Bautista discuss a final layout.



Acropolis News members, Leidy Bautista, and Macdella Cooper confer with Superintendent Dr. Beverly Hall. (center)



Some of the Acropolis News reporters, Mariela Gabriel, Jonah Olayinka, Macdella Cooper, Leidy Bautista, Arcilia Molina, Rosmond Ferguson, Ijeoma Okoh prepare for the next deadline.

The Computer Users



Tamera Gabriel, Ms. Koziar, and Amina Garner



Advisor Ms. Anne Koziar

The Literary Magazine



The Literary Magazine is sponsored by Mr. Miller. The magazine is produced by student members, who show off their creative writing skills through poems, articles and stories. Students in the school receive two copies of the magazine each year. The Literary Magazine is one of the oldest student magazines in Newark.



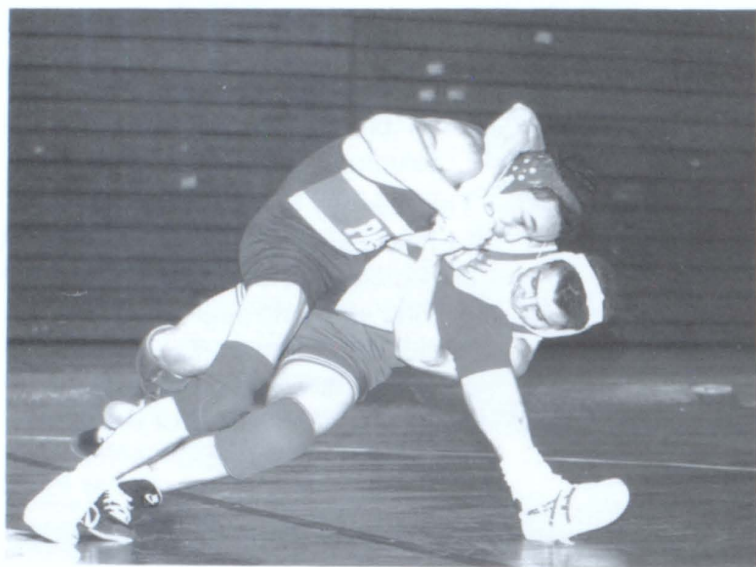
Advisor Mr. Paul Miller



Jennifer Vazquez, Jessica Jerez, Amin Rivera, Shunte Davis, Mike Rosado, Milagros Perez, Roshia Thomas, Mr. Paul Miller, Carin Diaz

With a spurt of determination, Werner Gamajo shoots a far-side cradle against the opponent from Passaic.

Skillfully snatching the rebound, Israel goes up against the competition.



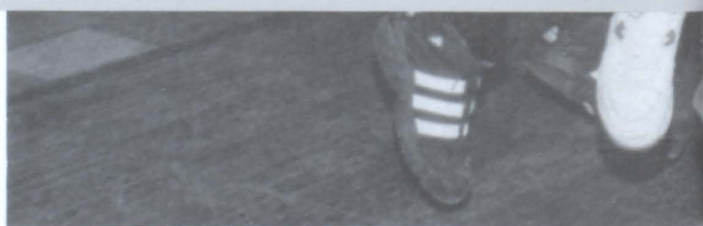
In an effort to elude a defender, Anton Fitzpatrick cuts in his pursuit of a first down.



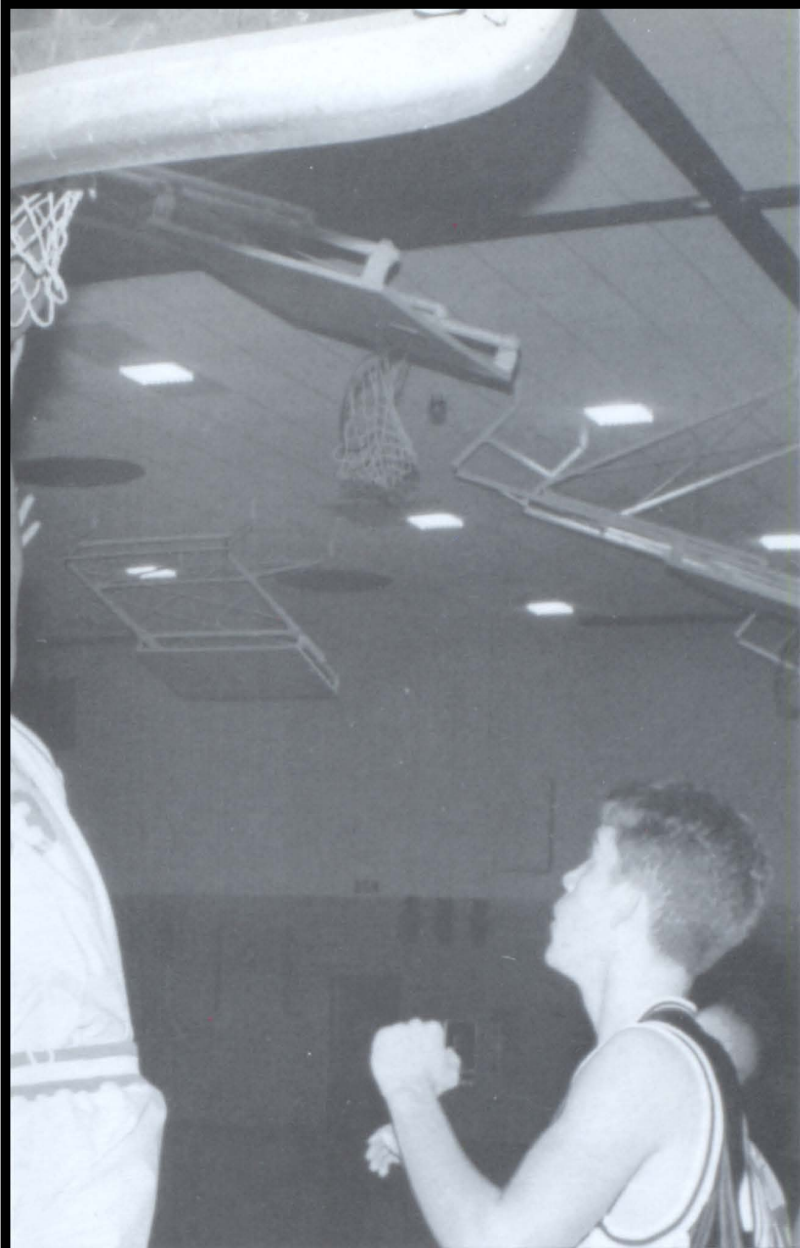
Focusing on the pins, Dionne Moore rolls for a spare.



Concentrating on the basket, Gina Marcus sweeps by her opponent, and goes in for two.

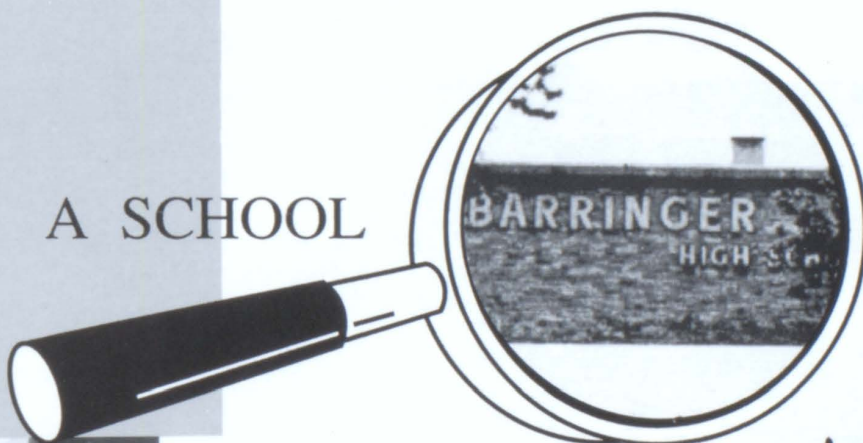


Sports



With a desperate evasive move, Brian Issaac glides past the defender.

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Claudio leads the attack trying to score a goal.



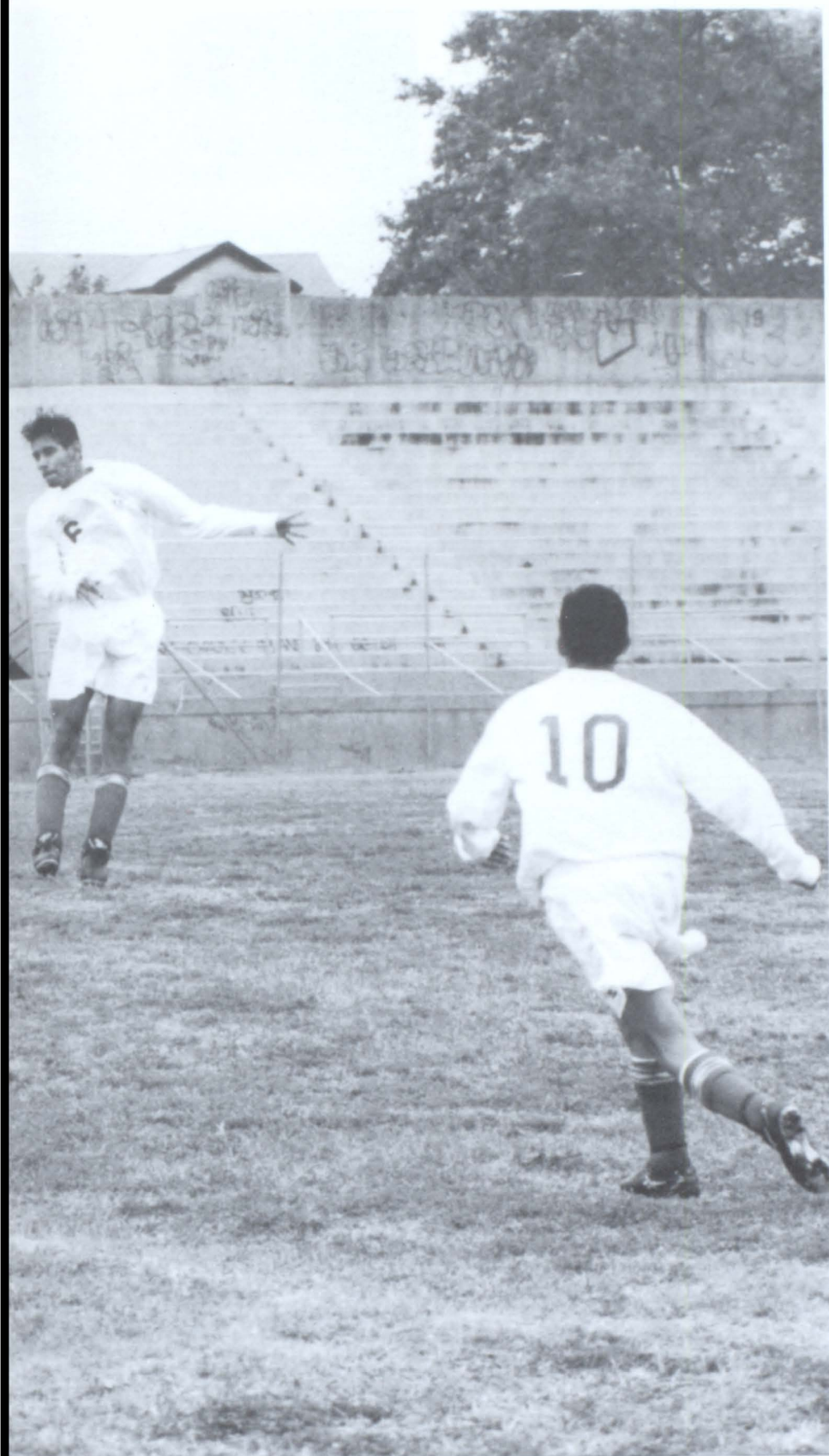
Claudio Barbarian, Saye Kawa, Brian Isaac, Edgar Galindo, Diderot Alexte, Xavier Barbarian, Juan Velazquez, Coach Lorenzo Cruz, Coach Peter Serra, Hector Narvaez, Miguel Diaz, Omar Gallardo, Franklin Arroyo, Carlos Paredes, Oscar Narvaez, Inmar Cruz, Silvino Sanchez, Vera Luis, Yurko Gramajo, Werner Gramajo



Diderot backs up the play as Xavier clears the pressure.



Soccer



The Soccer team this year has much to be proud of because they did their best to finish the season as winners. This year's Soccer team was composed of young men with eagerness and talent. The team worked as a unit, even though many were first time players.



Miguel Diaz



Xavier Barbaran



Brian Isaac



Hernandez
JoseGo



Werner Gramajo



Damon Halley practices, so that he can place at the race.



Coach Lucas, Damon Halley, Fayia Mouphouet, June Rogers, Rick Jones, and Edwin Guzman.

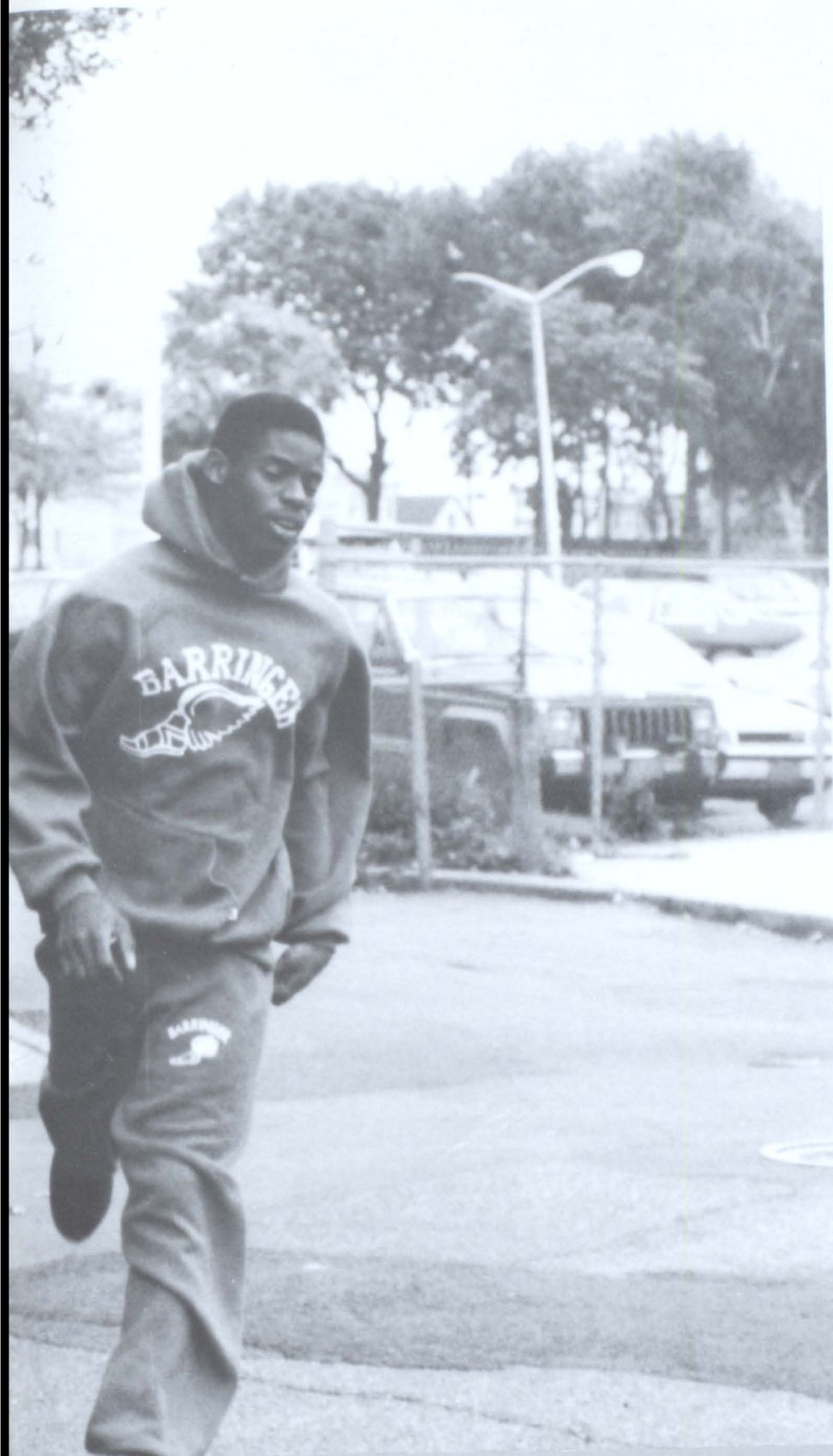


June enjoys the warmups while preparing for the real thing.



Cross Country

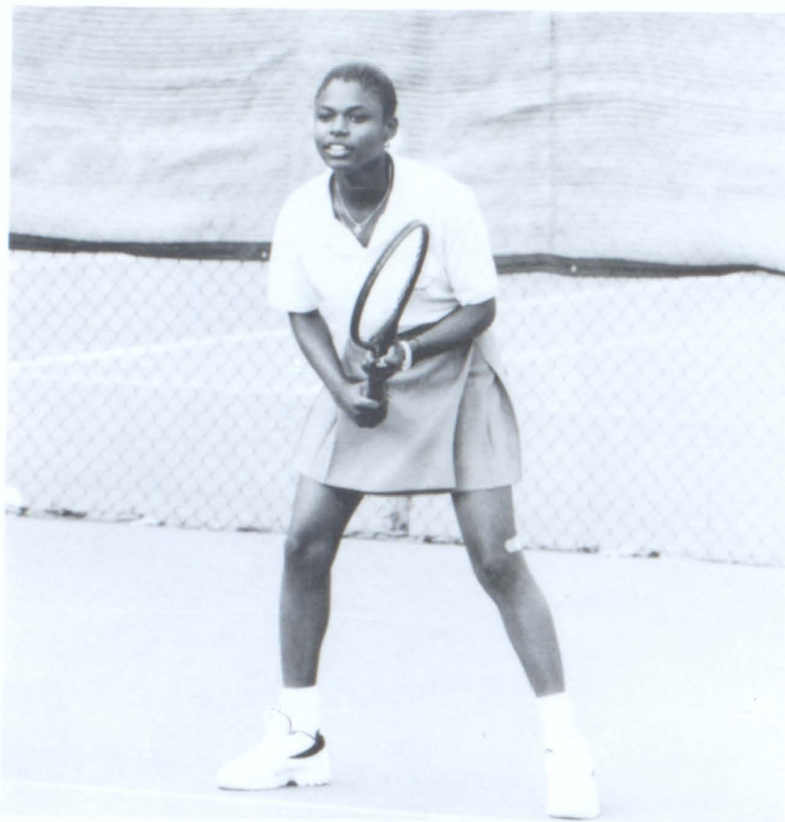




The Cross Country Team has attempted to build character and leadership among each of it's members. This team is made up of speedy runners, both male and female, who always try to do their best when it comes to competing against any team.



Fayia
Mouphouet



Maria Leta awaits her opponent's serve.



Irma Nunez, Amiris Perez, Amiramis Perez, Coach Ben Szamreta, Jennifer Sanchez, Xiomara Santiago, and Maria Leta.



Amiramis practices her backhand.



Tennis



The Tennis team's strength was dedication. Each individual player worked for the team. The team weakness was their inexperience. With a schedule as tough as they had to deal with this year, playing with more experience would have helped. Eleventh grader Amiris Perez was an asset to the team. Since 5 players will be returning, the team record will be much improved next year.





Jeffrey attempts to pass off to one of his teammates.



Coach Lucas, Asst. Coach Dykes, Eric Glenn, Dennis Brown, Kwais Johnson, Jeffrey Warren, Charles Ranson, Asst. Coach Carter, Johan Antiqua, Shawn Blake-wood, Jason Benders, Sha-D Thompson, and Sherrod Bates.

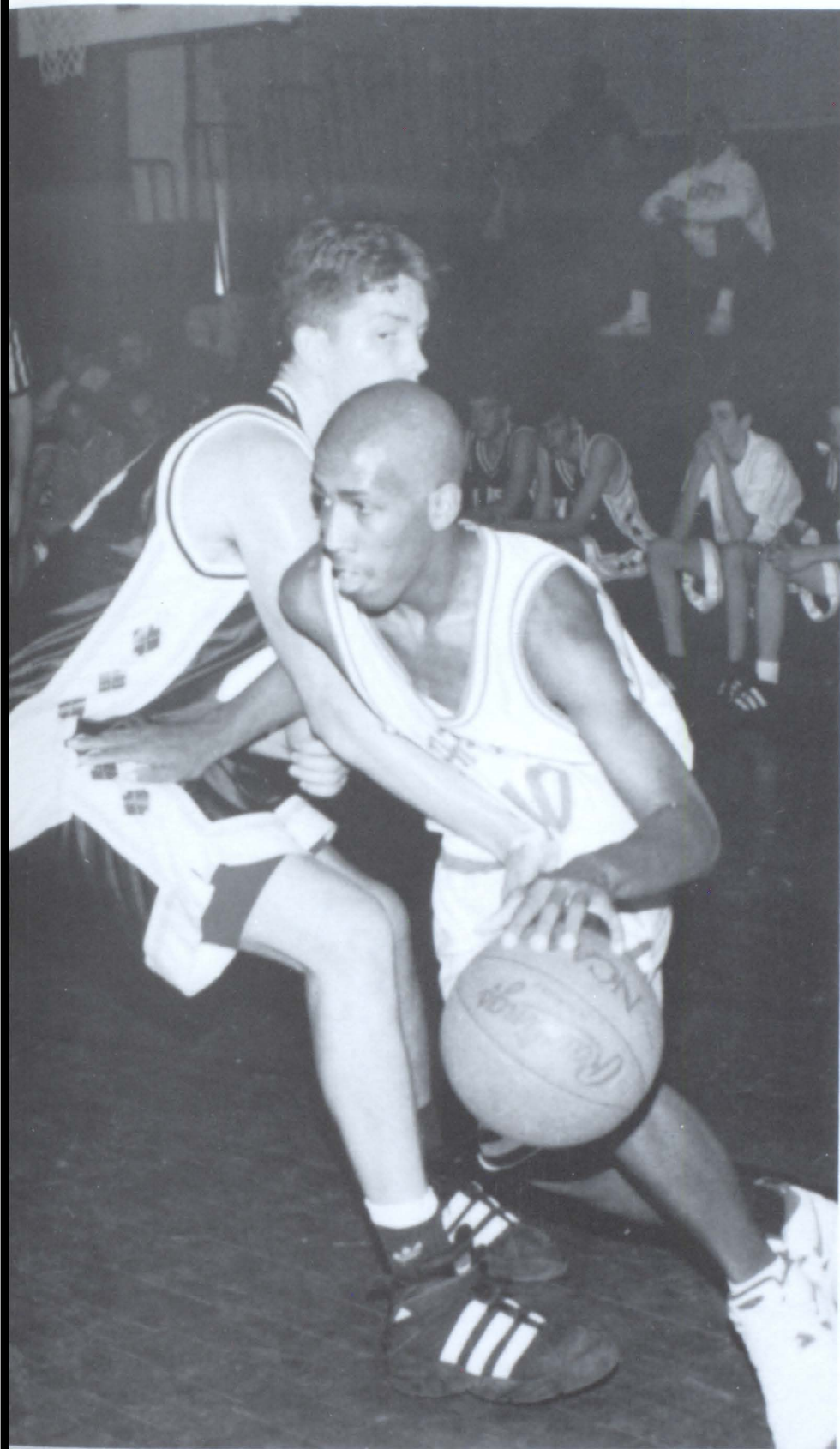


Johan passes the ball across to another player.



Boy's Basketball





Barringer's Basketball team has come a far way from last year's season. We are now in 6th place in the Conference for 1996, and last year we were in last place. The team strength is the desire to keep on going and never giving up. The team prospects for next year is to be # 1.



Shawn Blakewood



Jeffrey Warren



Johan Antiqua



Sherrod Bates



Kaliefah Vickers is blocked while attempting a pass.



Assistant Coach Ms. Mary Cosgrove, Kaliefah Vickers, Cynthia Carter, Yolanda Flores, Aminah Crowder, Head Coach Ms. Diane Washington, Shakeea Adams, Kamela Williams, Joy Farguharson, Kim Clark, Leticia Soto, and Gina Marcum.



Yolanda Flores tries to steal the ball away from the opposing team.

Girls Basketball

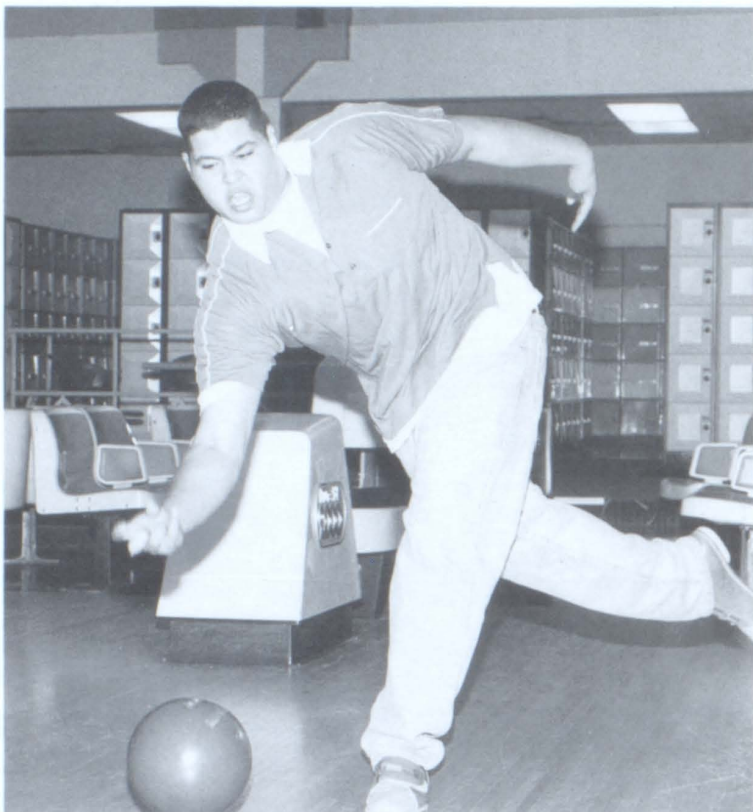




The strength of the Girl's Basketball team this year was their defensive skills. However, as the season progressed the team's offensive skills improved along with their efforts on fundamentals. Next year the coaches are hoping to improve on their record by working on the outside shooting of the returning players.



Aminah Crowder



Pedro attempts to pick up the 1 - 3 spare.



Narda Franco, Daisy Pagan, Lakeyah Pueruell, Dionne Hyman, and Coach Graham



Left, Narda rolls the ball, with all her strength, to get the ten pin.

Far right, Rohen Morales, Ivan Rivera, Pedro Quinones, Donte Harris and Coach John Graham.



Bowling





The strength of the bowling team was in their dedication, positive attitude, and ability to work together as a unit. The team's only weakness was inexperience. But this team was composed mostly of 10th and 11th grade scrappers, who would not quit, and will be returning again. They learned much this year that will be utilized next season. As the lone senior, Rohen Morales, a dedicated bowler, was the team leader who will be missed next year.





Coach Lucas, Coach Rogers, B. Issac, D. Williams, M. Williams, Coach Thompson, L. Wilson, M. Davis, M. Burion, S. Johnson, and E. Suzonom

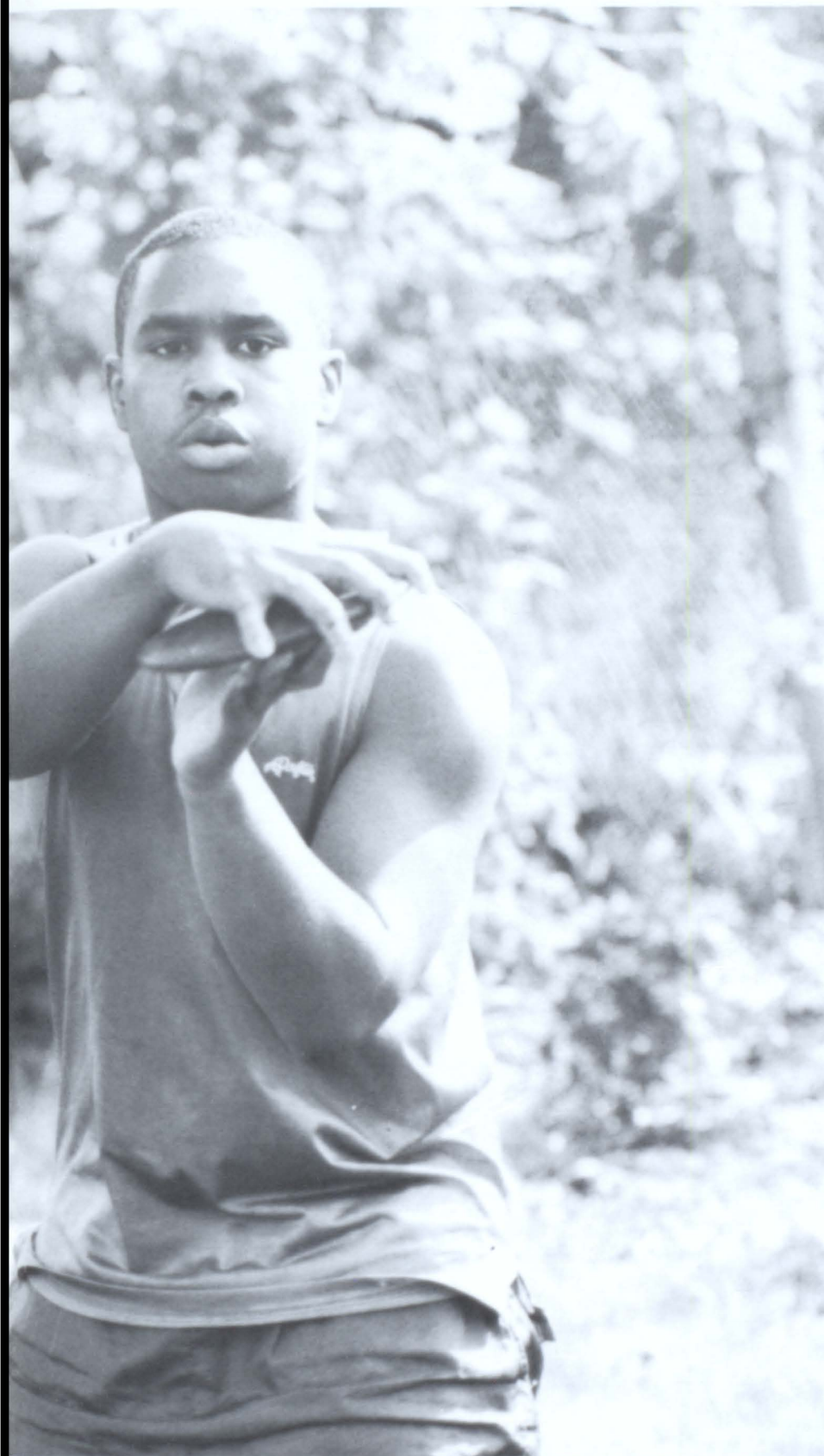


Marie tries to jump to the lead of the pack.



Monique adjusts her pace for the long distance run.

Outdoor Track



This years Outdoor Track Team has truly made Barringer very proud. This squad has demomstrated excellent running abilty, and an abundance of stamina. They were up against the best in the state, but yet still they managed to excel in competition.



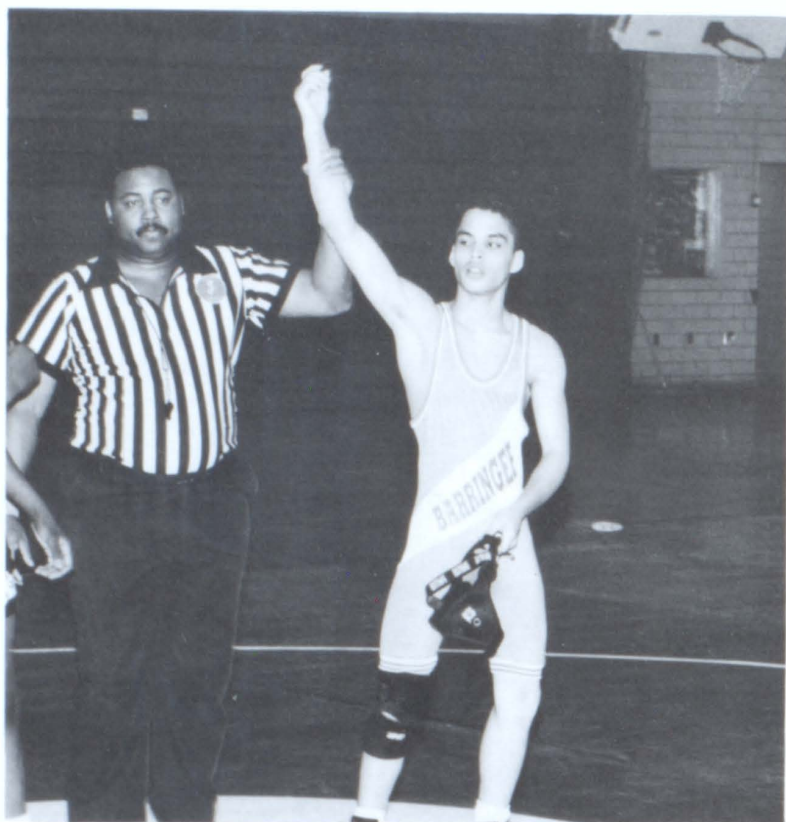
Brian Issac



Scarlett Johnson



Maurice Williams



As the referee raises his arm in victory, William Colon flashes a look of success.



Coach James Steadman, R. Rivera, E. Hernandez, J. Molina, A. Alas, M. Williams, J. Soto, C. Dainty, Coach Philip Pender, T. Miller, J. Gatton, W. Gramajo, W. Colon, E. Perez, J. Rodriguez, J. Ciudadreal, R. Mejias, R. Garat, I. Negron, O. Mercado, O. Smith, S. Lopez.



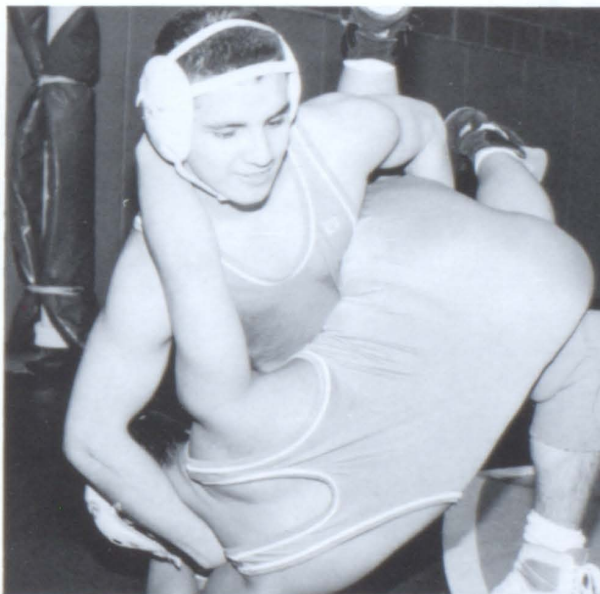
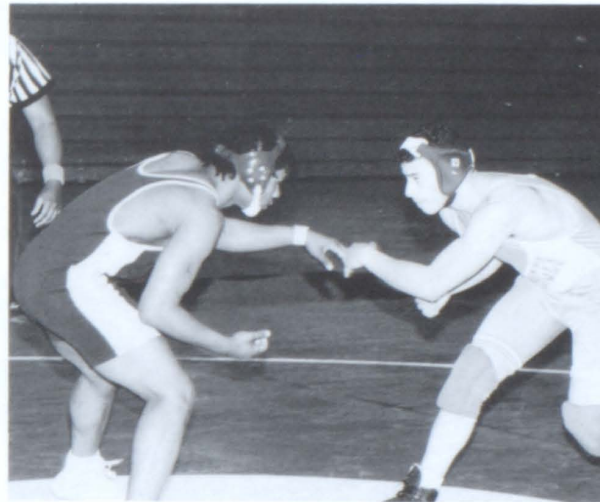
With both knees on the mat, Maurice Williams flips his opponent for a pin.



Wrestling



This year's wrestling squad showed determination through much adversity. As a team, they showed spirit and tenacity. And as individuals they produced some of the finest individual records. Because the team as a whole displayed fortitude, leadership, and mutual support, the squad worked to their best season in years. With veterans returning, next year the team will try just as hard to do even better.



Edgardo Perez



Maurice Williams



Werner Gramajo



As she raises her bat, Daisol Colon glares at the pitcher.



I. Torrese, M. Montalvo, K. Rodriguez, C. Bermudez, L. Medina, Coach Moss, A. Garcia, D. Colon, J. Rodriguez, V. Fontanez, and Head Coach Vincent Immerso.



While moving toward second base, Jeannette Rodriguez attempts to distract the pitcher.



Softball



Coming off a highly successful season last year, the girls softball team had to prove they were again capable. With Head Coach Vincent Immerso at the helm, the girls again demonstrated their skills in defense, with outstanding field play and competent pitching. And of course the veterans came through with offense that made Barringer a strong presence in the N.N.J.I.L.



Vanessa Fontanez



AnnMaria Garcia



Iris Torres



Coach Helen Carnegie, Albany Cruz, Kanha Alvarado, Olkania Alvarado, Macdella Cooper, Coach Corinne Kylis, Elsa Santiago, Vanessa Fontanez, and Yulenia Gatón.



Macdella Cooper reaches down to bump the ball.



Vanessa Fontanez returns an overhead serve.

Volleyball



Boldr



Strong on defense, the Barringer Volleyball team exceeded their coaches expectations this year. With a record of 10 victories and 7 losses, this winning record enabled the volleyball team to reach the State Finals for the first time. With a better effort, and a bit more dedication, the coaches believe the team will again reach the finals next year, but this time move up the ladder.



Macdella
Cooper



Yulenia
Gatón



Kenya
Dionisio



Elsa
Santiago



Mary
García



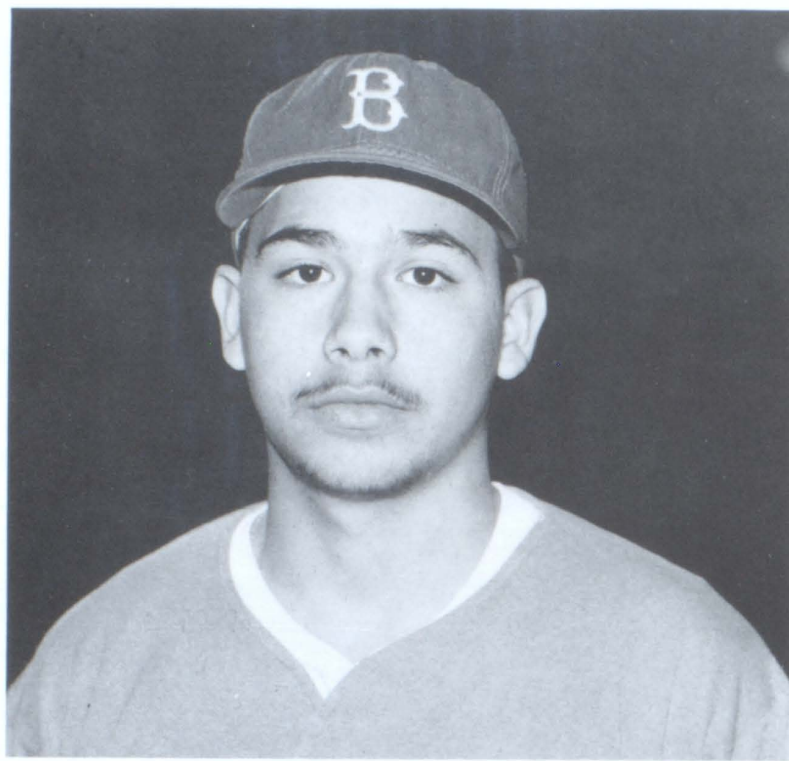
Kanha
Alvarado



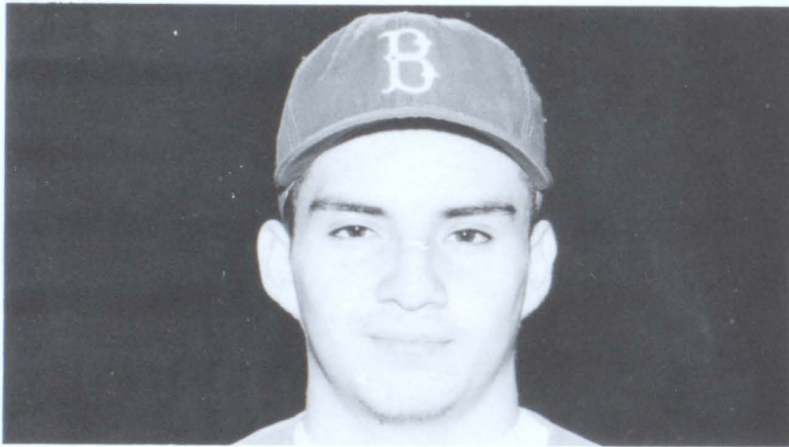
Vanessa
Fontanez



Charlene



Arcadio Roman



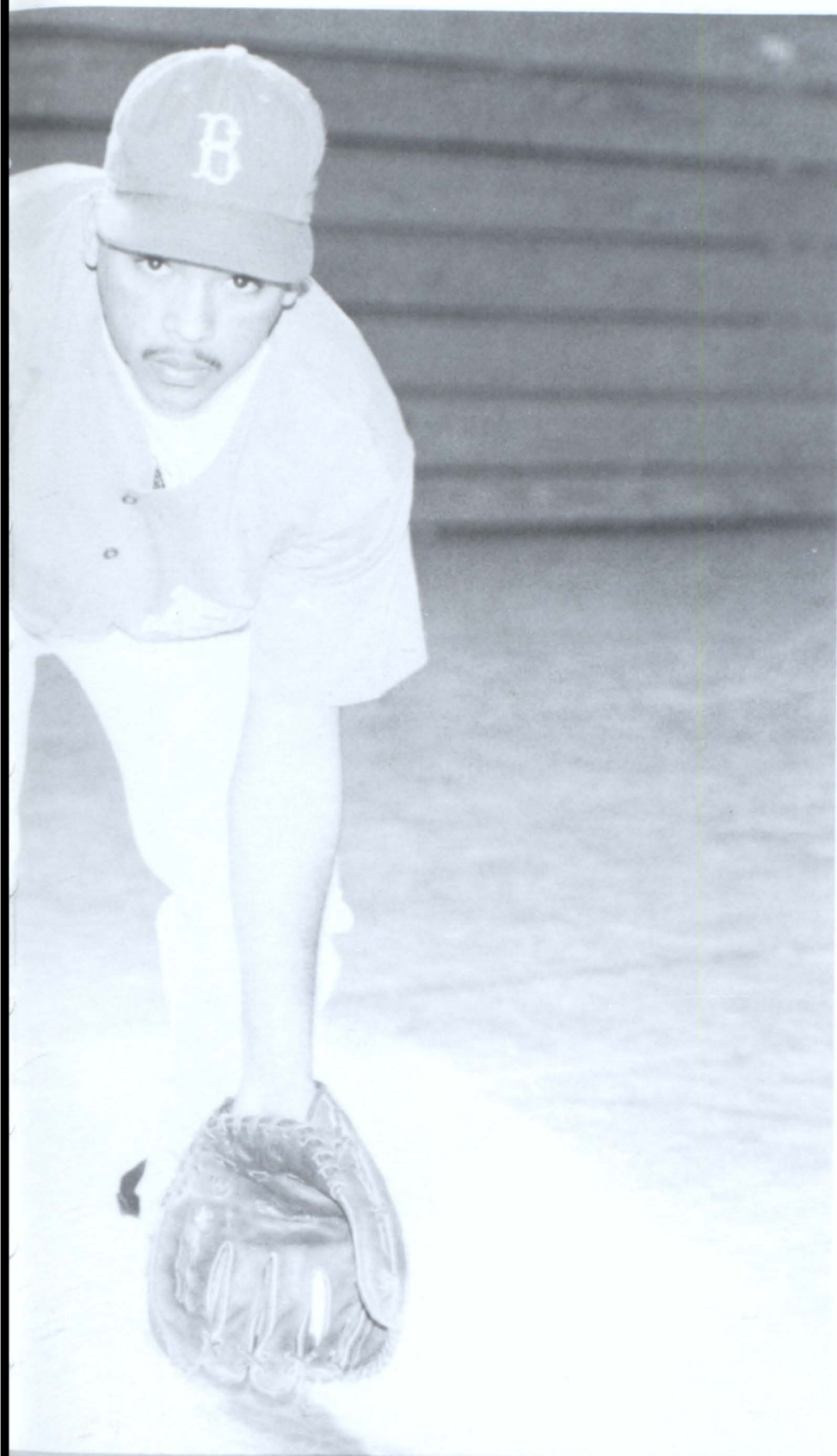
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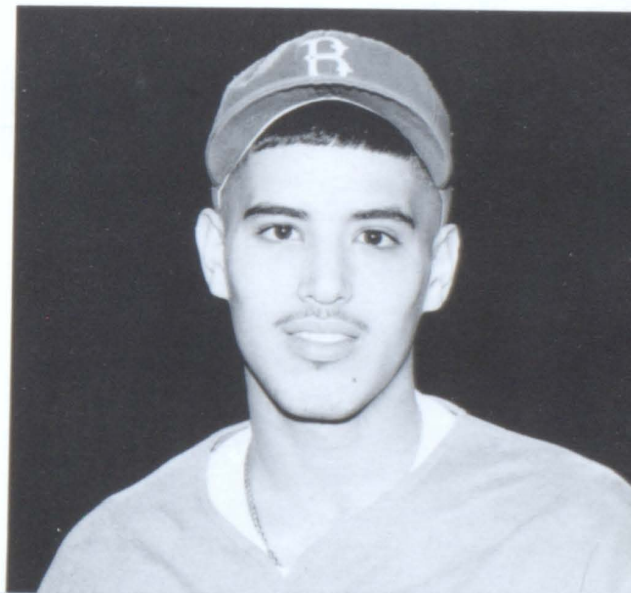
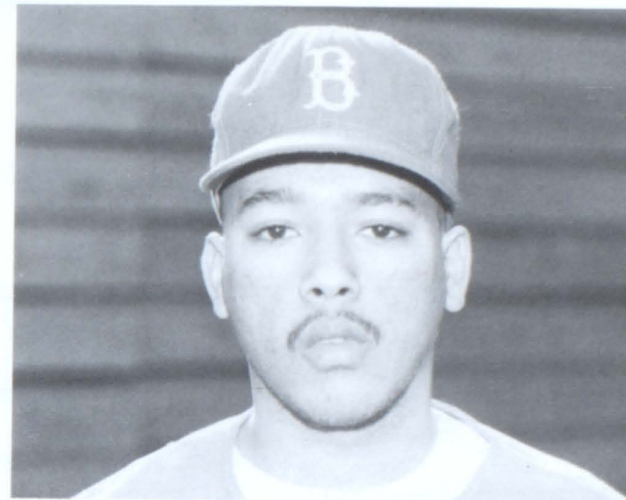
Rolando Colon



Baseball



The Barringer Baseball team, a dedicated squad, demonstrated their skills with a successful season. Under the tutelage of new Head Coach Richard Maraviglia, and his assistants Eddie Reyes, Joseph Owens, and freshman coach Pat Algieri the team displayed a positive winning attitude. With a few returning players, and many new teammates, they proved they had what it takes, especially in the late innings. Coach Maraviglia considers this a rebuilding season, because many players will be returning next year.



Arcadio Roman



Werner Gramajo



Sergio Santiago



Barringer defense leaps into action, and removes the opposing quarterback from action.



Senior players, E. Perez, M. Williams, D. Bargonere, L. Mercano, J. Simmons, A. Sanford, O. Cruz, R. Sanford.



Maurice Williams attempts to find a hole in the defense's line.



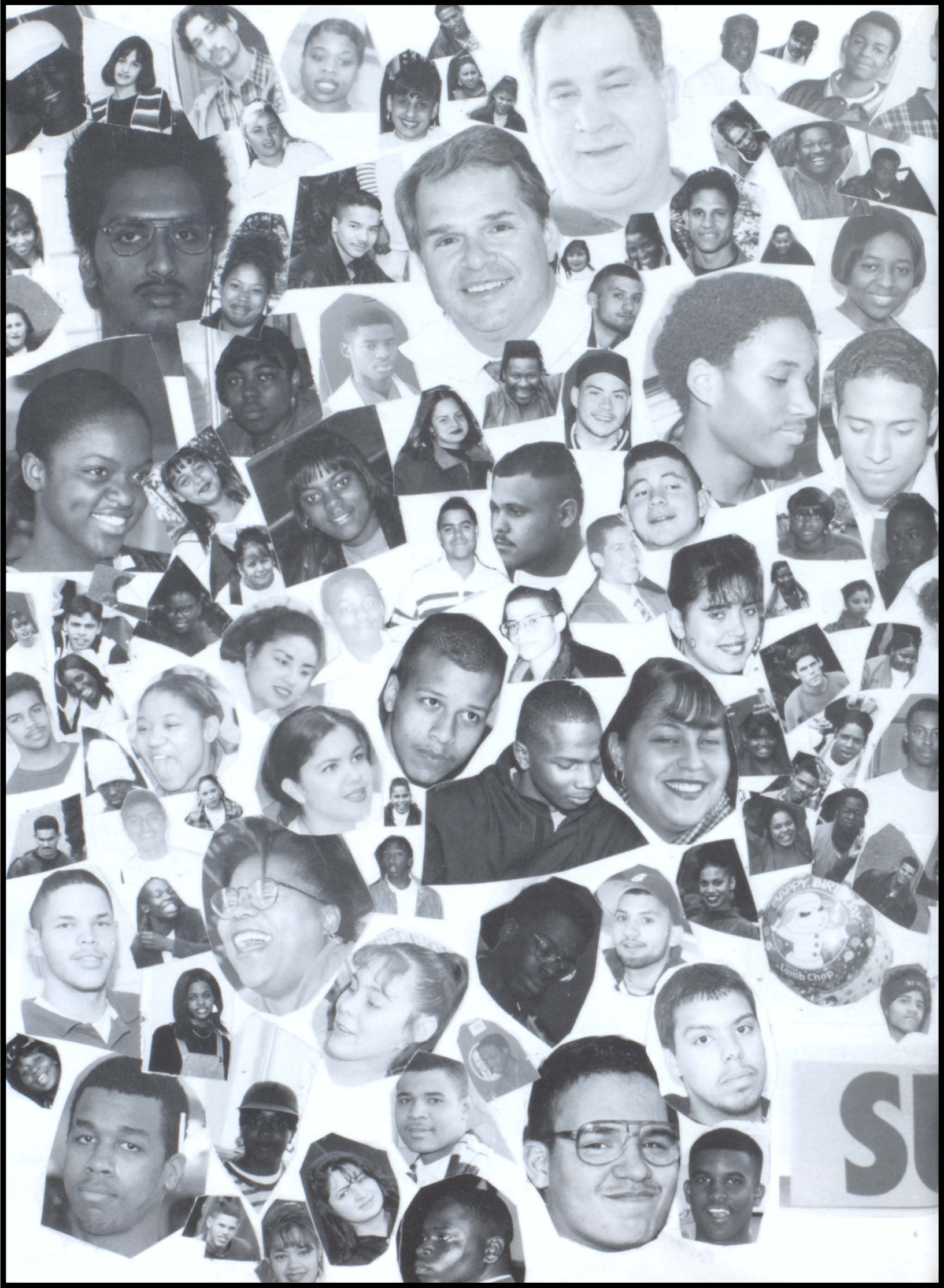
Football



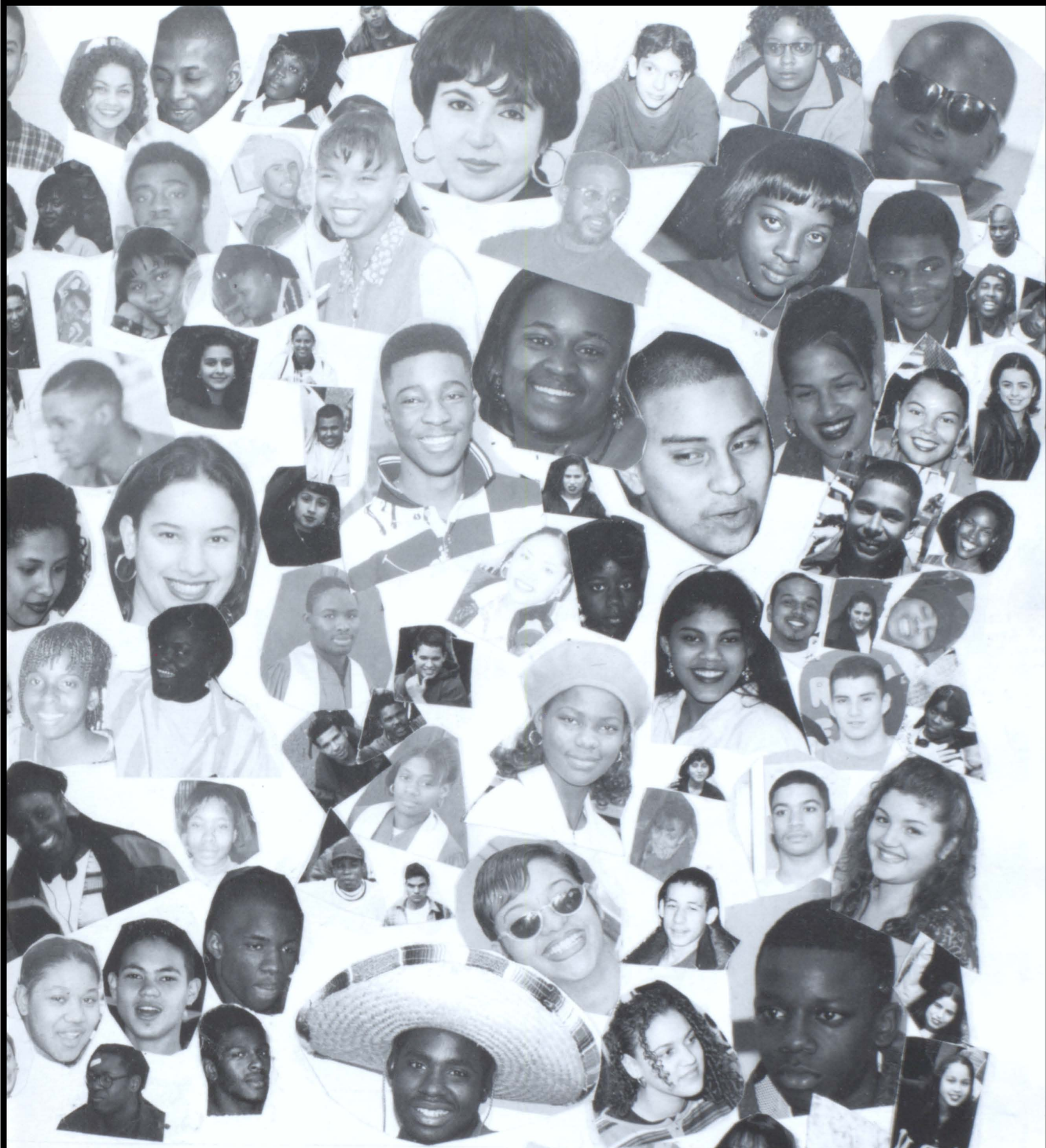


Sweat! sweat! sweat! This was the slogan of this year's Football team. They strengthened their running game, and found success with their wide receivers. While the squad was desperately determined to develop a winning season, Instead it turned into a rebuilding year. The hope is that Head Coach, Miguel Hernadez, along with assistant coaches Jamal Williamson, Joe Owens, and Ben Simon will have a different year in 1996-97. Next year the team will be a lot stronger and hopefully will win a lot more games.



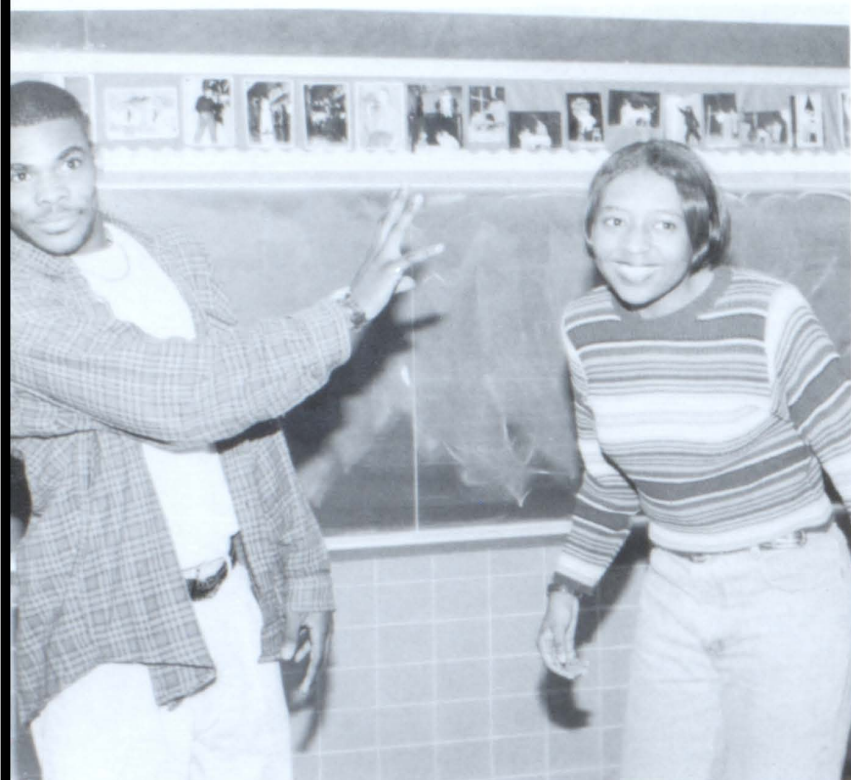


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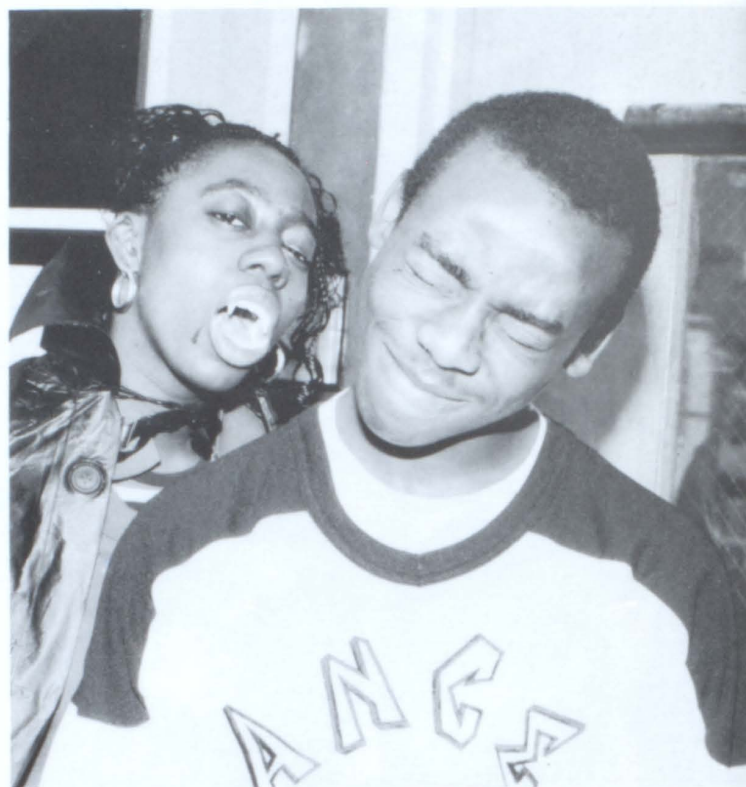


UCCESS!

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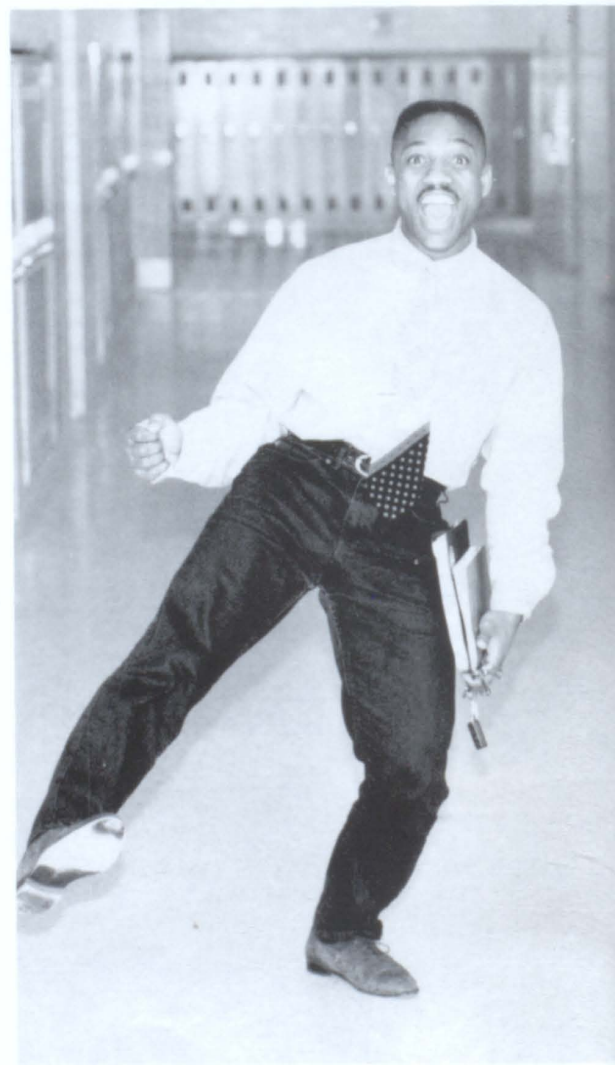
"I saw the magician David Copperfield make the women disappear by doing this."



"I've come to suck your blood"



"It's called the artists-fro."



"It's finally 2:30 p.m."

Bad hair days



"Can I please...be in your class?"



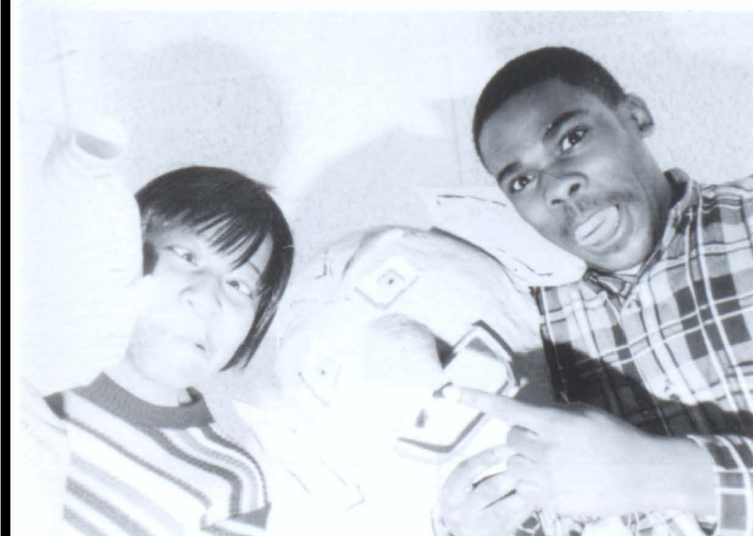
What fairytale did he escape from?



"Look what too much studying did to me"



"Who's the fairest of them all?"



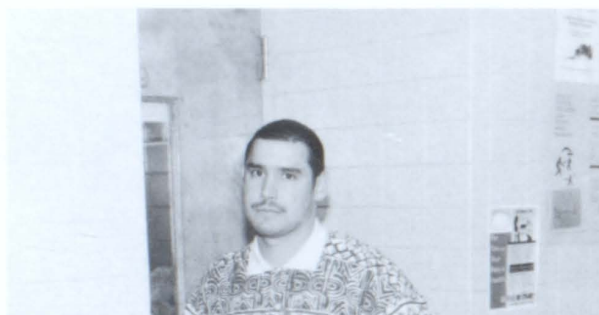
"Dumb and Dumber"



"Do you have a problem with your grade?"

Pausing before class begins, English teacher Mr. Stuart Oderman relates words of wisdom to Christine Ruiz, Eric Bulba, Ashraf Shakoor, Lourdes Basco and Irma Cruz.

While sporting his patented smile, Physical Education teacher Mr. Bruce Butts proudly displays his heritage.



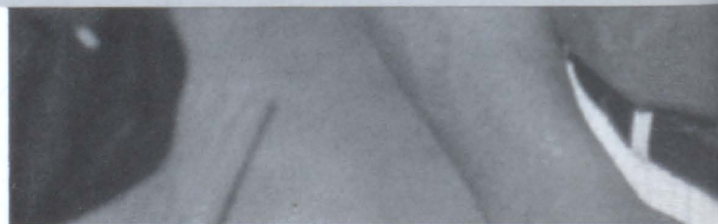
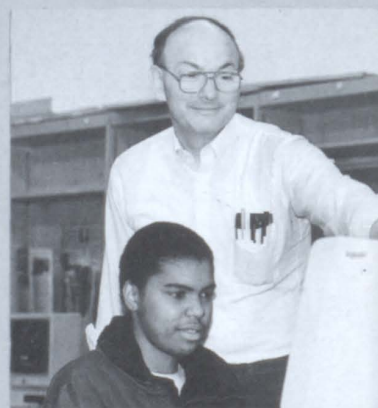
Pointing to a metal plate, Industrial arts teacher Mr. Frank Tansey suggests corrections to Lisandra Soto and Amina Gardner.



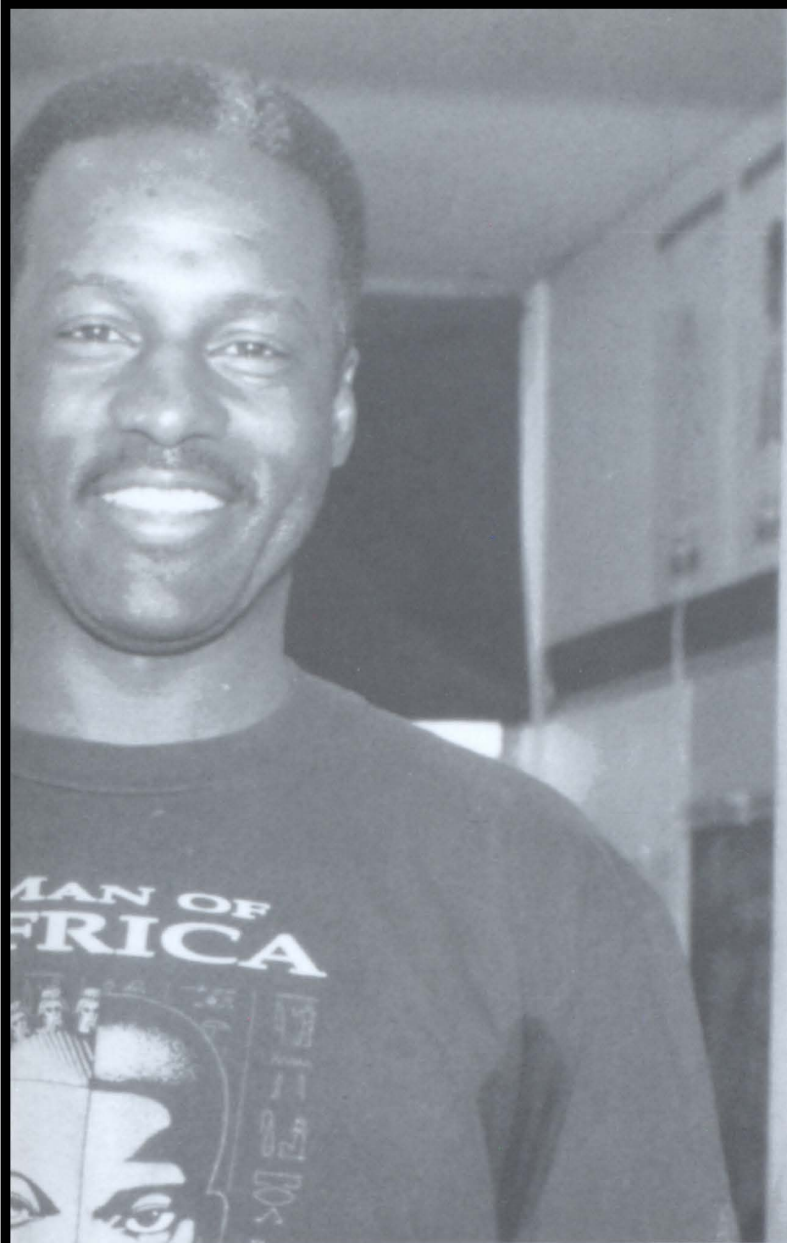
Rushing to a senior class committee meeting, Mr. Wilson Martinez stops for a breather.



During a computer programming class, Math teacher Mr. James Steadman points out a command line to Haneefah Webster.



Faculty



While discussing literary prose, English teacher Mrs. Fran Pignatelli interacts with Lakeisha Whiteside, and Fernando Soto.



A SCHOOL



Worth Looking
INTO

Principal

"You can get there from here," D. Anne Browne. Somewhere between trying to conform to the norms of the dominant society and understanding the roots of our cultures, we become confused. We seem not to know who we are, or where we belong.

You have now come to a place and time where success will be measured by your ability to take advantage of what education has to offer. Reflect upon September 1992, and what you did not accomplish to date. Parents, teachers, counselors, coaches and administrators have tried to guide you through your experiences. Now, self-growth and ambition will be very critical to your existence.

People are more alike than unlike, and what is true anywhere is true everywhere.

Best Wishes,

Benjamin O'Neal
Principal



Principal Benjamin O'Neal



Mr. O'Neal lets Tanya McCord know who is in charge here.



Principal Ben O'Neal takes his jacket off to help Leida Montan, Tiecher Belfield, and Ije Okoh in the food drive.

Vice Principals



Alan Alvarez



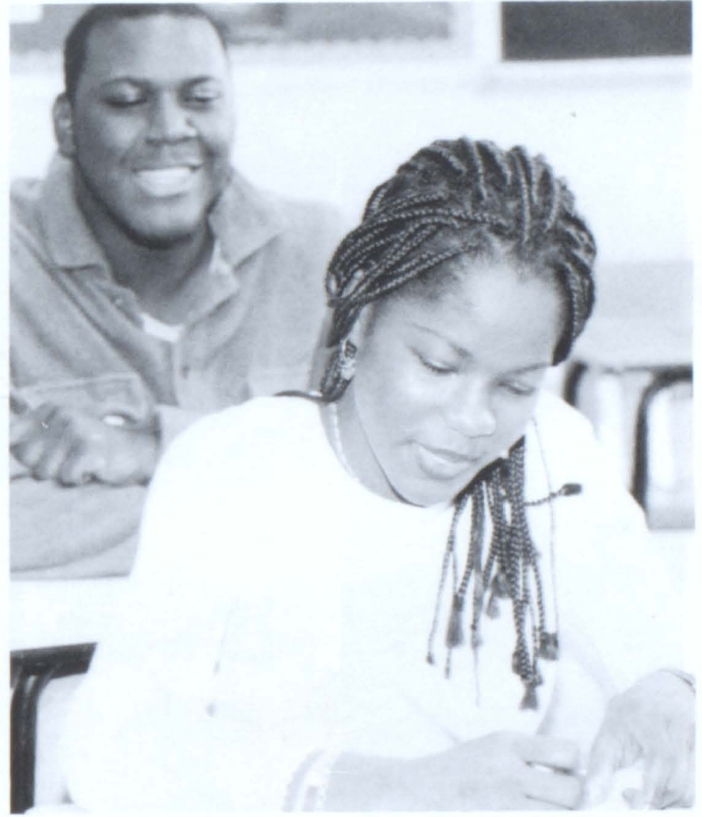
Joseph Ianuzzi



Mr. Alan Alvarez enforces the school rules on Chailene Bowman.



Mr. Alan Alvarez, Mrs. Michaels Manfro, and Mr. Benjamin O'Neal at 2:30 p.m.



Shareff Jones peers over Macdella Cooper's shoulder to get the answers.



Evelyn Lewis



Victoria Michaels Manfro



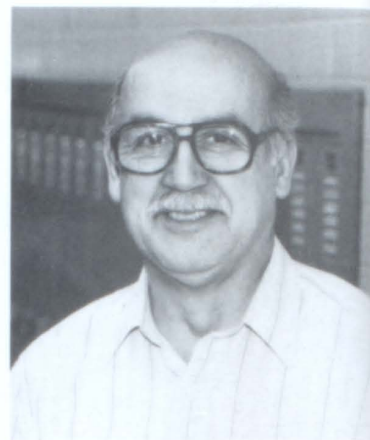
Yvonne Martinez and Ramonita Morales discuss the cute boy in the third row.

Chairpeople

The chairpeople help elevate the instruction of the teachers, thereby ensuring that our students receive a quality education. Chairpeople are responsible for ordering supplies for their departments and evaluating the teachers based on classroom observations. They also assist in the resolution of discipline problems referred by teachers, participate in activities that promote professional growth and perform duties assigned by the principal and vice principals.



Frank Antonacci



Vincent Guarino



Mr. Hamilton directs Elba Ortiz to class.



Phillip Hamilton



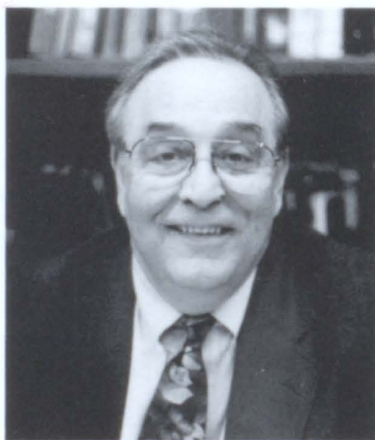
Hilda Millan



Clara Roth



Ralph Salzano



Emilio Spino



Phillip Sylvester



Mrs. Hilda Millan prepares a teacher evaluation.



Anthony Tortorello



Frank Verducci

Guidance



Jerlean Daniels



Alfonso Delguercio



Dorothy Hooten



Lopez Lucy



A College Fair representative highlights his school to Raheem Spears and Mrs. Marva Mason.



Margarita Losada



Ariel Rios makes a point as Rosmond Ferguson disagrees.



Carmen Velazquez and Cristina Ruiz sneak to their lockers between class.



Marva Mason



Glenn Wilson



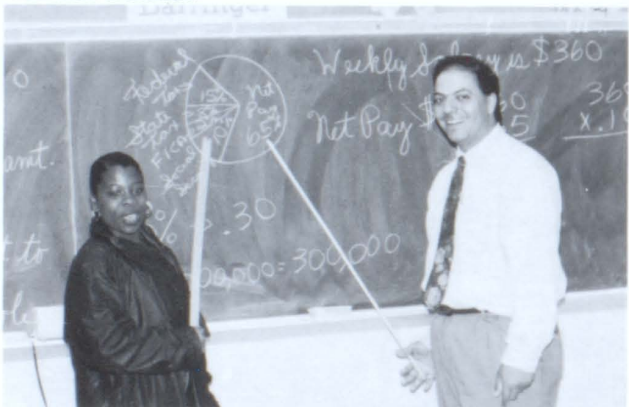
Dr. Jerlean Daniels conducts a Guidance workshop in the school library.

Mathematics

The math teachers stimulate the students to develop a working knowledge of basic math skills in preparation for employment or daily life. Courses for the academically exceptional individuals are included in the math curriculum. The teachers show students the approach to solving problems, and they introduce each topic intuitively to the students for better understanding of the subject. In this age of rapidly advancing technology and use of computers, the knowledge of mathematics becomes increasingly significant.



Ruben Morales gives his homework assignment to Mr. Milliken Dowdell



Myesha Tillery shows Mr. Luigi Cutri the percentage that she wants to pay in taxes.



Mrs. Kathryn Ballin takes a moment to pose with Macdella Cooper before the H.S.P.T.



Aida Cortez



Kathryn Ballin



Carol Bornstein



Ms. Kelly Griffith points out a geometric formula to Edwin Roldan.



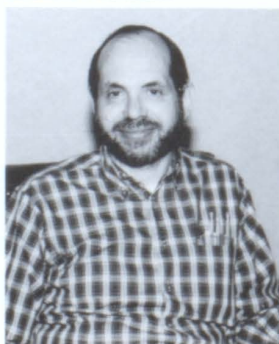
Lorenzo Cruz



Luigi Cutri



Milliken Dowdell



Lloyd Fredericks



Ramon Gonzalez



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Ericson Mentor



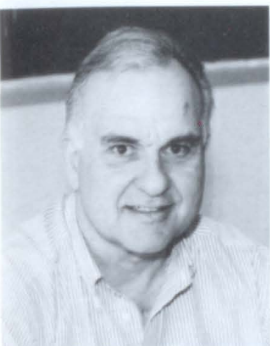
Phillip Pender



"Get out of my seat until you graduate from College," says Mr. Luigi Cutri to Langhton Moore.



Lynn Phillips



Kenneth Rocco



Richard Romano



James Steadman



Mr. Milliken Dowdell discusses geometry with Francisco Espinal, Haneefah Webster, Latisa Bell, Tanya McCord, Marciano Leonardo, Fernando Colon, and Eric Morales.



Donna Stridacchio



Reginold West



Marisa Morris and Shanique Alexander watch as Ms. Donna Stridacchio completes the formula.

English

Proficiency in the effective use of written and spoken language, and the meaningful interpretation of literature, are the basic objectives of the English department. Therefore, in the regular course of study, the mandatory offerings emphasize the functional use of language and communication skills, writing, and various forms of literature. The teachers also prepare students to pass the High School Proficiency test.



Anthony Abbatiello



Linda Barnes



Antoinette Baskerville



Latisa Bell Challenges Mrs. Janet Melchionno on the meaning of intellect.



"So its not 2:30 yet, but I'm ready." says Lambert Nadiyah.



Robert D'Aiello



Paul Dellano



Ralph Dellano



Judy Fishman



Fletchline Hall



Anita Hutton



Joy Immerso



Anne Koziar



Janet Melchionno



Paul Miller



L-R: Yvonne Martinez, Luis Reyes, Chris Egoveil, Tiffany Leverette, Ernest Mitchell, Iris Torres, Werner Gomero, Alexis Olivero, Jonah Olayinka, Saheedah Lambert, Shaquana Hall, and Johnny Guererro take a break from "Gulivers Travels."



Frances Pignatelli



Adrienne Raff



Deborah Smith



Stuart Oderman



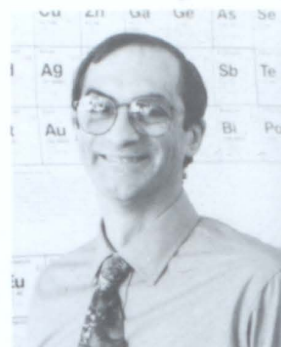
Dennis Torsiello

Science

The function of all science teachers is to present students with information through theory and practice. This information, which is usable through various disciplines, is designed to prepare students for future careers, and the proper understanding of their society.



Stella Alonso



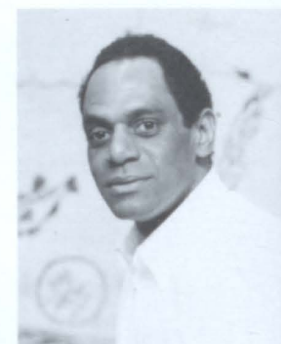
Frank Cappuccio



Science chairperson Mrs. Hilda Millan poses with her son Joseph.



Iris Garcia



Nolan Griffin



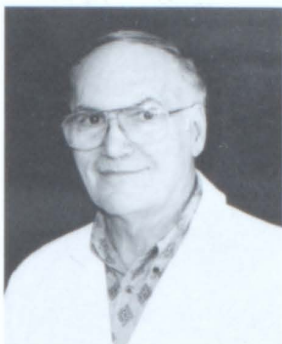
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Rosemary Riechmann



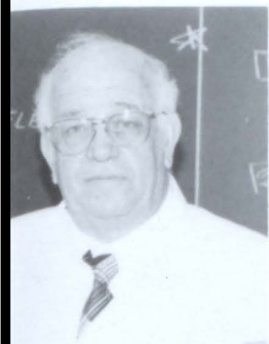
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Salvatore Rossi



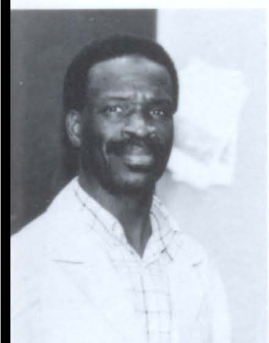
Anthony Ulloa and Ignacio Rodriguez prepare for a science exam.



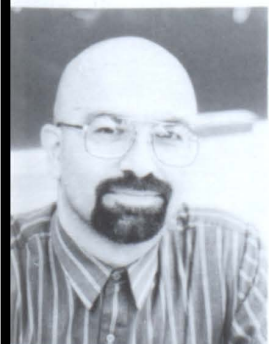
Nabil Said



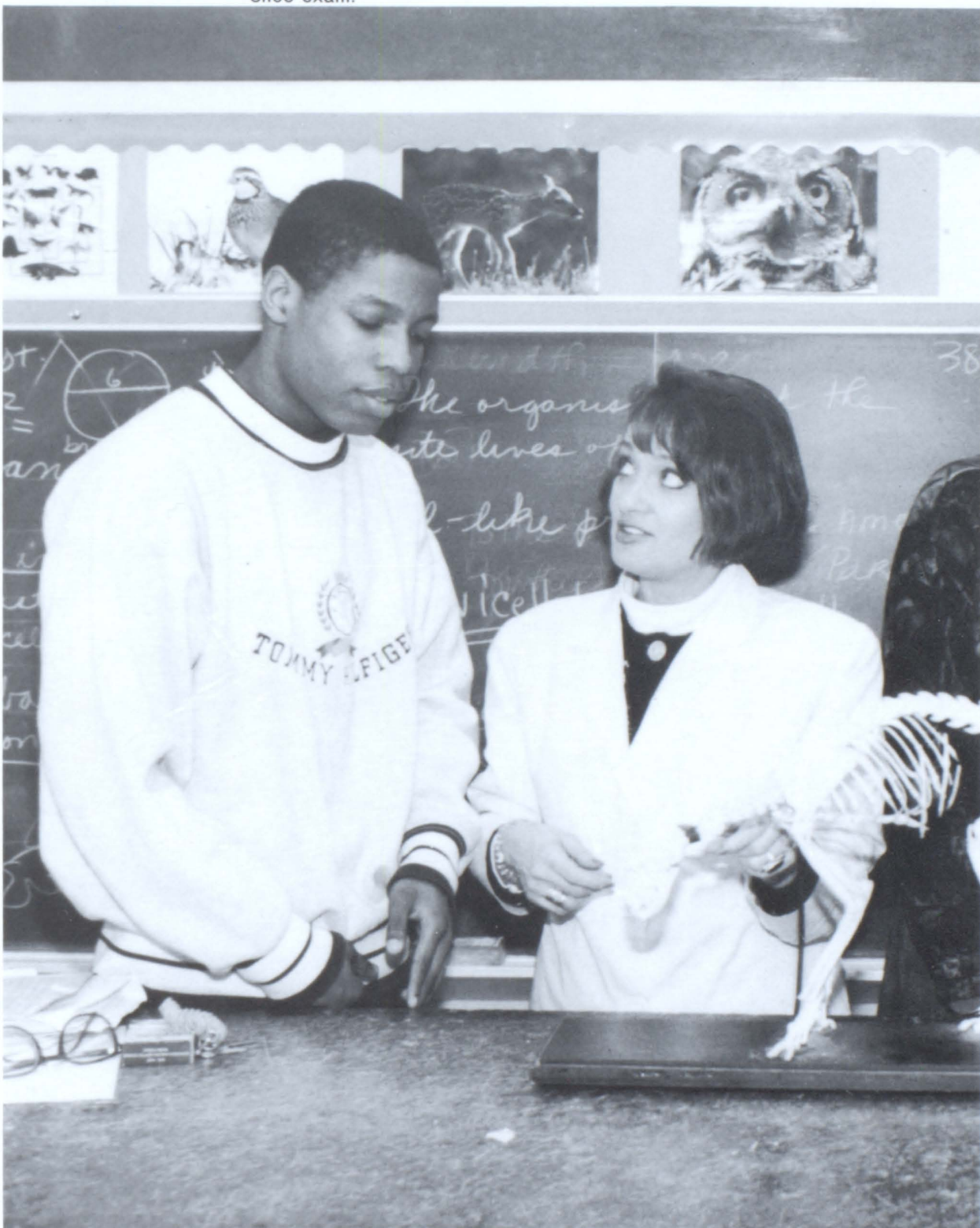
Lucille Serra



Neil Williamson



Frederick Vafaie



Kevin Johnson watches as Ms. Lucille Serra describes the skeletal structure of an animal.

Social Studies

With the assistance of the Social Studies Department, students learn about the history of all civilization, both past and present. Through the study of various cultures, students learn to think, evaluate, determine, interpret, and to apply knowledge to the solution of everyday human problems. This year a selective group of seniors have been researching the school archives as part of Mrs. Robyn Lopez's Honors history class.



Alvaro Cores



David Green



Mr. Michael Santucci discusses geography with Jackie Herrera.



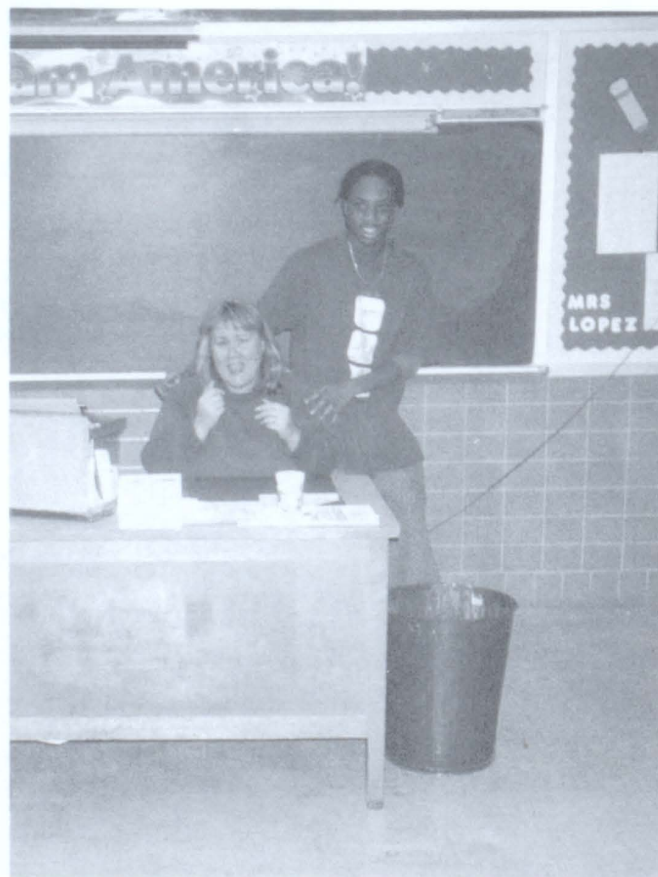
William Hope



Vincent Immerso



Steve Harp thinks he is Atlas, while Vanessa Fontanez and Rosmond Ferguson check out his muscles.



Glenn Smith corrects Mrs. Robyn Lopez's posture.



Robyn Lopez



Anthony Moreno



Karen Parsons



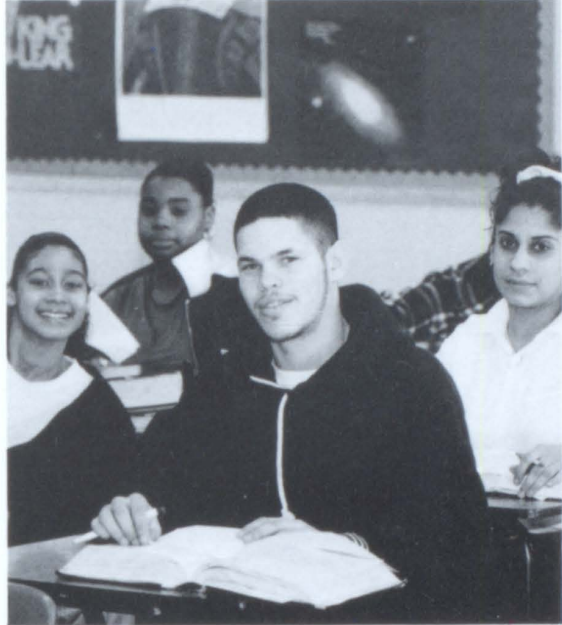
Sylvia Plant



Ariel Rios, Ernesto Carpio, Klaitu Richards, Marisol Cortes, and Eric Morales prepare for their group assignment.



Jose Rivera



Ernest Fields, Jenny Ribera, Luis Colon, and Ikeysha Rahim study for a test.



Mr. David Green describes the African continent.



Michael Santucci



Patrick Washam



Lakaisha Whiteside questions Mr. William Hope about a history test.



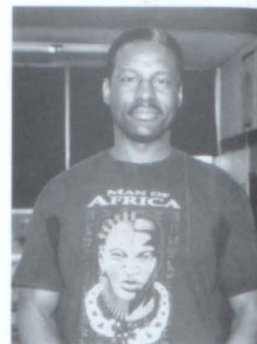
Naeema Williams shows off her new gloves.

Physical Education

P.E makes students aware of choices that they need to make to enhance their future well being. These choices include the five major components in physical education: AIDS prevention, alcohol/drugs, nutrition, fitness and family planning. The department also makes students aware of fitness as a lifetime commitment through the regular practice of cardiovascular endurance, strengthening, and flexibility.



Thomas Blumette



Bruce Butts



Mr. Bruce Butts attempts to persuade Ms. Karen Parsons to join the physical education department.



Quadeer Parrish with an underhand serve.



Helen Carnegie



James Catullo



Michele Corbo



Joy Grove



Miguel Hernandez



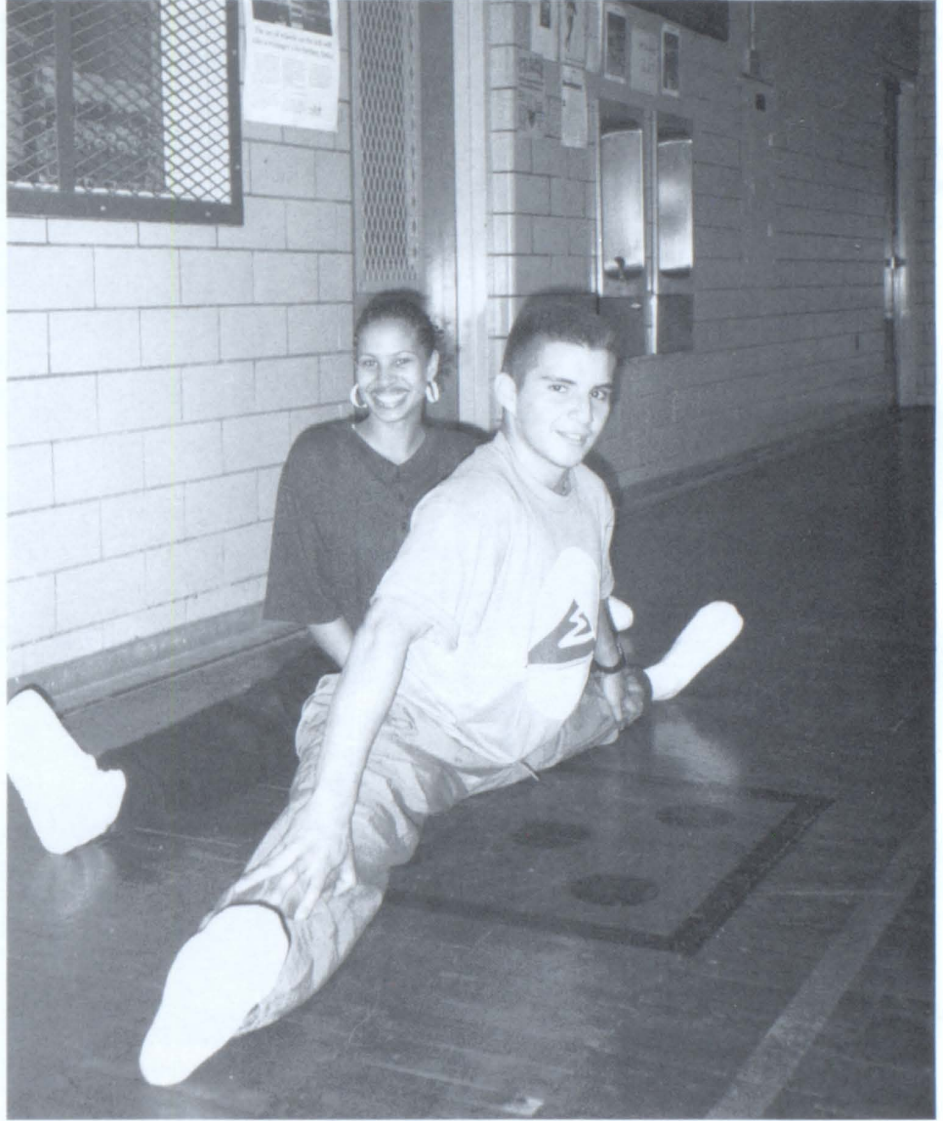
David Hollonder



Solomon Johnson



Physical Education teacher Ms. Michele Corbo demonstrates correct bumping technique in volleyball.



Werner Gramajo and Candice Molina stretch in the gym.



Margaret Said



Anayanci Pitti



Donna Posteraro



Matthew Rivers

Business

This department helps students to become better informed consumers and knowledgeable citizens in the business world. The faculty also attempts to stimulate a curiosity within students to learn new facts. While the department prepares students to succeed and advance in life, the academically outstanding students are encouraged to go to college to pursue professional careers in computer programming and the teaching of Business Education.



Michael Angelo



Phillip Basile



Anna Maria Carrino



Ms. Dorothy Casey helps Ariel Silva create a spreadsheet.



Lynette Hargrove learns how to program an IBM computer.



Dorothy Casey



Barbara Guarino



Jennifer Labrada questions Mrs. Gloria Royster.



Carrie Lynn



Marisol Cortes leaves the goofy crowd in the dust.



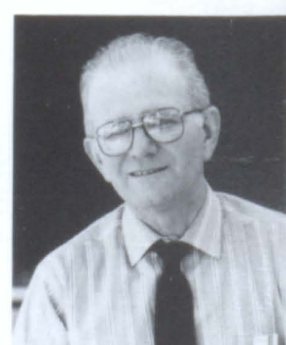
Lurena Smith



Gloria Royster



Robert Palumbo



William McGuinn

Library



David Friess



Cynthia Salzano



Yvonne Peterson



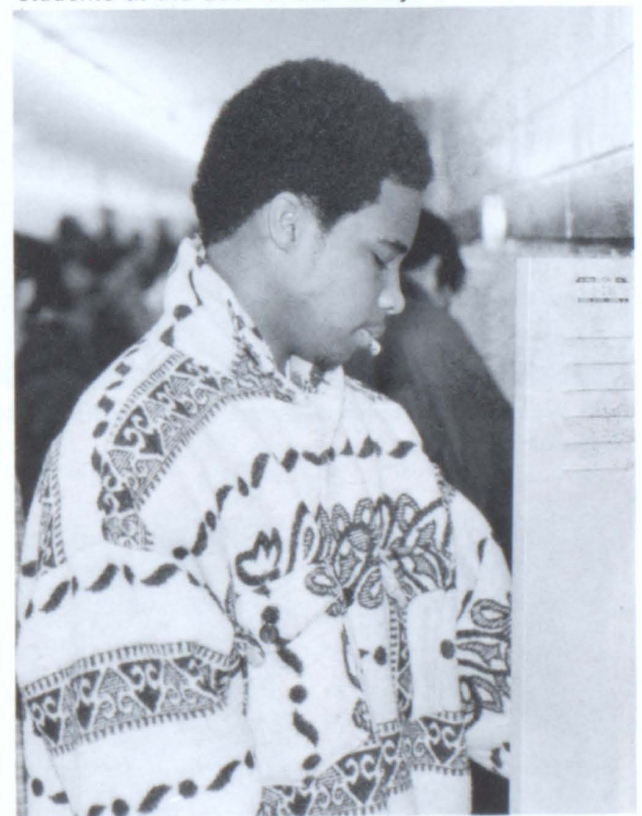
Naeema Williams, Cesar Arroyo, and Alberto Garcia scream "we're out a here!"



Mr. David Friess and Mr. David Toler greet the incoming students at the door of the library.



Librarians Mrs Cynthia Salzano and Mr. David Friess highlight English teacher Stuart Oderman's book.



Jamiane Gamble searches his locker for that history report.

Special Education

Barringer's special education department is built on the concept of understanding unusual differences among the school-age population and meeting individual needs. However children and youth in need of special education are not limited to specific categories. They include all those who require unusual curricular or instructional adjustment throughout their school career, or some significant portion of it.



Jeanette Austin



Diane Bennett



With eyes focused on the photographer, Mrs. Freda Brown and Mrs. Sylvia Plant pause before class.



While waiting for her next class to arrive, Ms. Dolores Jackson stops to chat with Ms. Lucia Dellandro.



Freda Brown



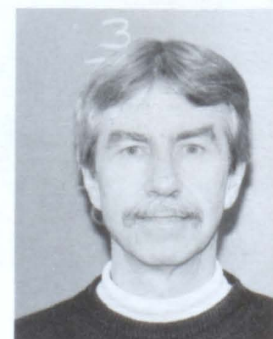
Kevin Brown



Carmella Bowers



Mildred Ceceri



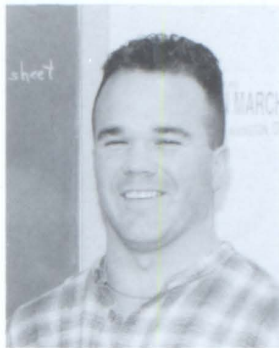
Charles Sheridan



Mary Cosgrove



Brenda Fajardo



John Graham



Dolores Jackson



John Javornik



While taking a breather from class, Ms. Brenda Fajardo stops in Mr. Ernest Macharella's office.



Kathryn Johnson



Anderson Kendrick



Sharon McCullough



Eva Natson



David Toler

Art

The art teachers allow students to develop their creative potential by offering them a variety of experiences in many different materials. The highlights of the art program this year included a filmmaker who presented a workshop in producing movies. An additional highpoint is that the department has had six city-wide poster contest winners this year. An Artist in Residence also visited Barringer for five months to offer students ideas and opportunities to shape their future.



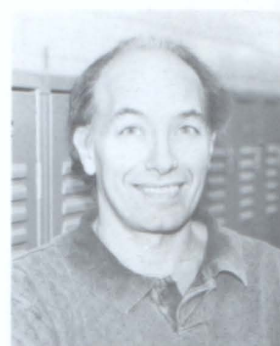
Mr. Sal DiGerlando explains to Francisco Espinal how to letter an Italic Font.



Denise Alamo



Joanne Leane-Corris



Salvatore Di Gerlando



Oneisy Irizarry watches as Ms. Denise Alamo demonstrates water color techniques.



Francisco Martinez



Ms. Rochelle Tominic and Mrs. Habbeb Ra'oof Malik said cheese to the photographer as the light flashed.

Music

The music department attempts to broaden the cultural experiences of the student through exposure to different types of music. Instructors teach music of different societies to students, thereby stimulating an appreciation for music of cultures other than their own. Students learn to develop a sense of pride in their performances.



Beatrice Herring



Michael Page



Rochelle Tominic

Home Economics

The responsibility of the Home Economics teachers is to present each lesson with enthusiasm and excitement. The ultimate goals are to spark the student's interest in learning to produce healthy meals, create exciting clothing, and to sustain oneself in today's world. Students also develop management and decision making skills, and discover how to recognize their responsibilities in the educational process.



Mary Lou Flaherty



Barbara Mackey



Mary Jean Meravi



Lois Porter



Annie Riggsbee



Barbara Saunders



Shantika Mangin strolls to her food class.



Pricilla Montijo feeling at ease in the arms of Mrs. Brenda Stevens.



These Industrial Art students pose after taking an easy test.

Industrial Arts

I.A instructors provide students with a basic understanding of the tools and materials, as well as possible job opportunities related to the practical arts industry. With this goal in mind, the department also attempts to incorporate an understanding of general basic skills in math, reading, and writing to aide each student toward successfully passing the H.S.P.T.



Frederick Forino



Earle Hunt



Joe Matrisciano



Frank Tansey



Thomas Ziolkowski



Mr. Earle Hunt reveals the secret behind an engine to a student.

ESL

The English as a Second Language department teaches students the listening, speaking, and writing skills involved in the English language so that these students can become productive members of our society.



Noel Alayon



Melania Candelario



Maxine Friend



Karina Alvarado and Amarilis Rosales prepare an essay in literature.



Ms. Maxine Friend coaches her ESL class.



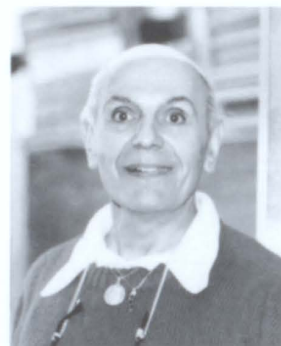
Misael Rodriguez and Jose Martinez work on an exam in ESL.

Foreign Language

The teachers aid the students in the progressive ability to speak, read, express, and ultimately to comprehend and enjoy a second language. Anyone with a foreign language major can follow a career as a language specialist.



Lucia D'Alessandro



Lawrence Delvisco



Julia Leaty



Foreign Language students Kymeishia Jones and Andy Beasley study Spanish.



Angel Ortiz



Hilda Rivera



Gloria Cruz, Jecelyn DeJesus, and Richard Angomes work to improve their Spanish.

School Aides



Annette Ashford



Arica Derevizus



Christine Jewell



Mrs. Patricia Knight prepares a memo.



Patricia Knight



Rosalind McMillian



Carmen Perez



Nella Reid



Erica Richardson



Wilma Rodriguez



Elba Velez



Barbara Godfrey



Jeane Lee



Kenneth Lee



Wilson Peters

Guards



Senior class advisor, Mr. Wilson Martinez considers a new job.



Ashraf Shakoor and Chandre Gamble on the way to class.

Medical Staff



Pausing to chat are ESL teacher Maxine Friend and Nurse Dorothy Clark.



Alexander Alvarado, Antonio Geronimo, Arcerio Cuerdo, Jimmy Morillo, Ariel Paulino, and Luis on the way to class.



Anne Godfrey



Dorothy Clark



Joseph Williams



"What? You're sick of school? We have no cure for that illness," say school nurses Anne Godfrey and Dorothy Clark.

Clerks



English teacher Ralph Delanno watches school clerk Carol Furnari clean up in preparation for her retirement.



Yvonne Armour-Lee



Carol Furnari



Michelle Peterford



Leaning over the computer keyboard, Yesenia Fernandez discusses WordPerfect with Jamaine Gamble.



Vinnie Inga



Jasmine Brandt

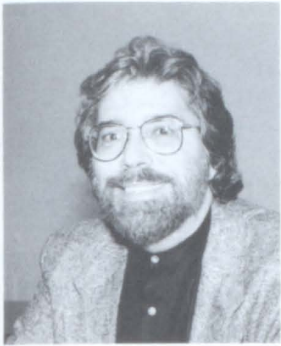


Gerry Mitchel



Lonzella Brice

Social Service



Ernest Macharella



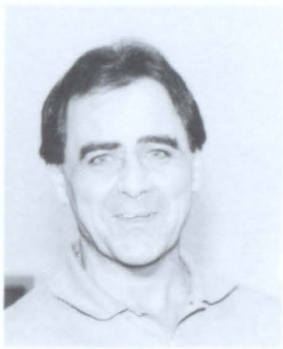
Sandra Manshel



Sandra Manshel, Gerry Mitchel, Jasmine Brandt, Peter Russomanno, and Carmen Rodriguez pause during a test break.



Carmen Rodriguez



Peter Russomanno

Attendance Counselors



Emma Miller



Jose Linares



Saul Zayas and Sholunda Solomon compare their worksheet.



Raheem Moore gets some advice from Senior advisor Mr. Wilson Martinez.

Cafeteria



"Two hands are better than one," says Mrs. Mary Anglin to Mrs. Helen Wladyga.



Edna Crawley, Berando Berrios, Mary Anglin, Carmen Maldonado, Shella Bolden, Vincenza Morales, Florence Squartino, Rose Updegrove, Shirley Bynum, Helen Wladyga, Lucille Grant, Thelma Tyzani, Mary Burnette, Netty Guzman.



As Kathy Cruz demonstrates her cooking skills, Anthony Lambert and Angel Garcia get in line for the first taste.



Mr. Mitchel Gerry and Mrs. Carmen Rodriguez, take a moment to laugh, as they arrive at the faculty room.



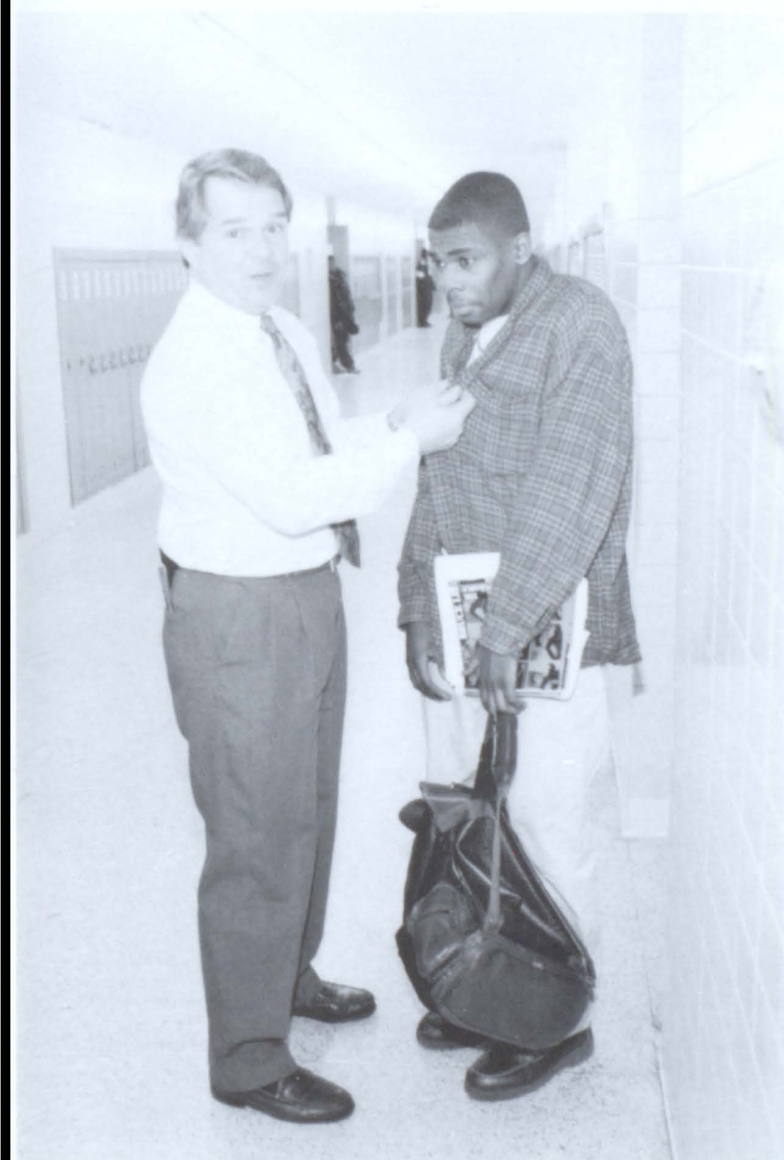
Kathy Soto puts the finishing touches on the T-Shirt she designed.



During a snow break, guidance counselor Mrs. Marva Mason discusses colleges with Adrianne Lee and Jennifer Labrada.



Mr. Nabil Said performs a science experiment.



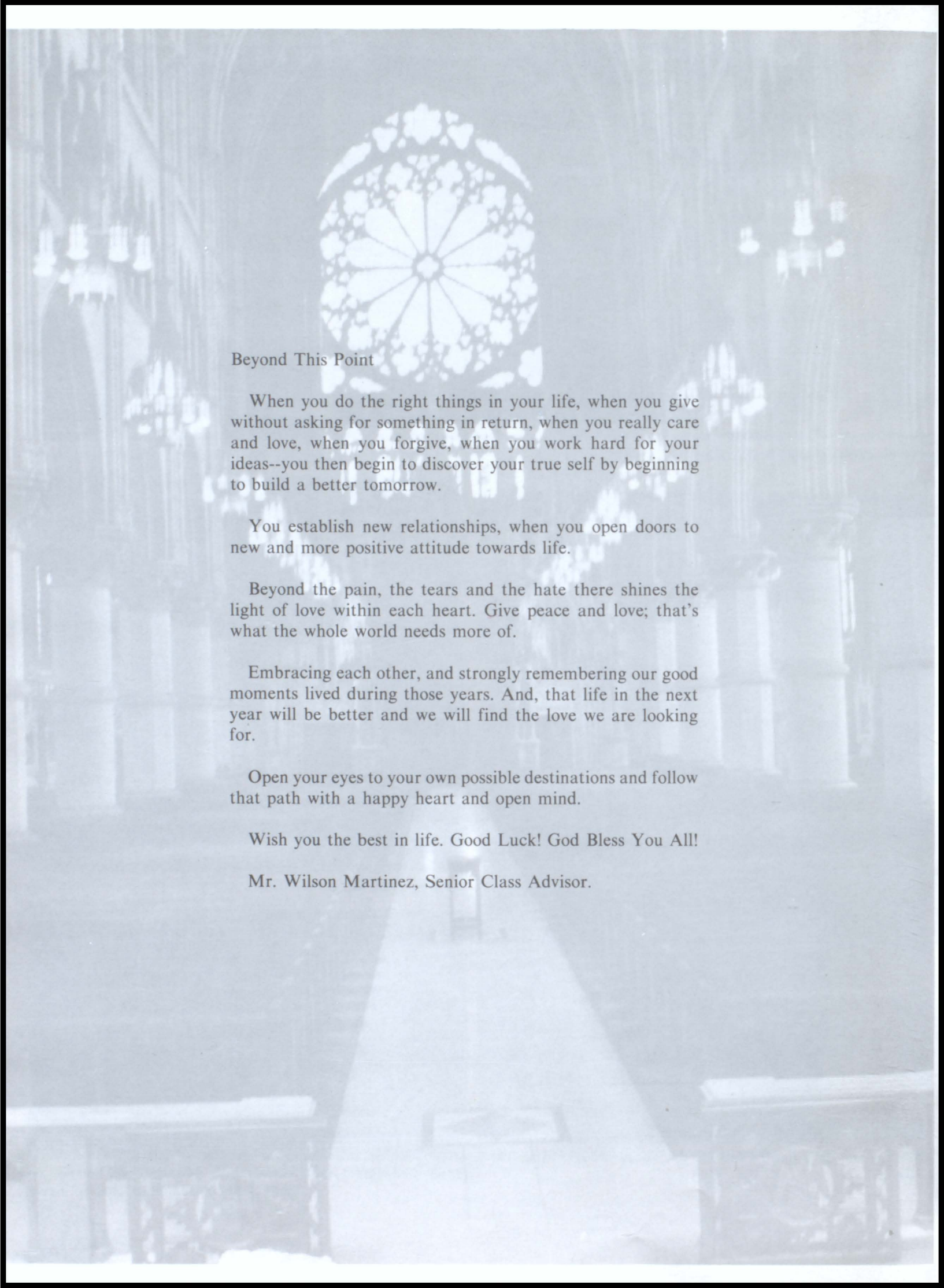
"Give me this shirt and I'll let you go," says Viceprincipal Alan Alvarez.



Molina Miguel and Misael Rodriguez watch as Mr. Cruz calculates the area of an Isosceles triangle.



Art teacher, Sal DiGerlando sketches three dimensional buildings for his students.



Beyond This Point

When you do the right things in your life, when you give without asking for something in return, when you really care and love, when you forgive, when you work hard for your ideas--you then begin to discover your true self by beginning to build a better tomorrow.

You establish new relationships, when you open doors to new and more positive attitude towards life.

Beyond the pain, the tears and the hate there shines the light of love within each heart. Give peace and love; that's what the whole world needs more of.

Embracing each other, and strongly remembering our good moments lived during those years. And, that life in the next year will be better and we will find the love we are looking for.

Open your eyes to your own possible destinations and follow that path with a happy heart and open mind.

Wish you the best in life. Good Luck! God Bless You All!

Mr. Wilson Martinez, Senior Class Advisor.

FRIENDS FOREVER

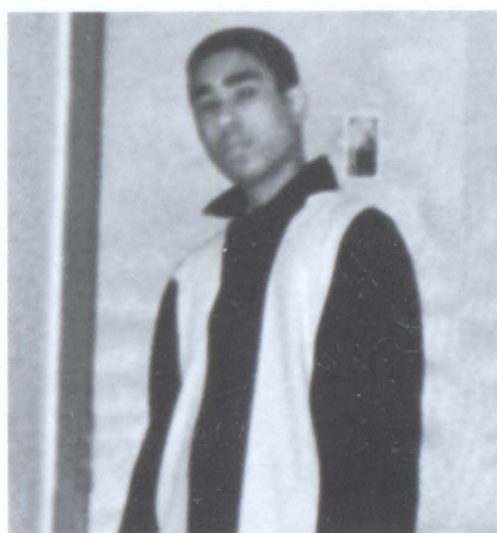
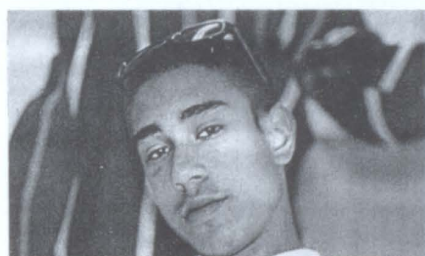


"FRIENDS FOREVER"

We're joined in a friendship, that time cannot sever with bonds we have built we'll remain friends forever. We're welded in spirit, attached by our hearts we're fused by the feeling that friendship imparts. We're tied by emotions, connected by dreams, reinforced by hopes unified by extremes. No longer a function of time or of space, our love is a substance that life won't replace. No matter how distant, we'll always endeavor to sense that full meaning of friendship forever.



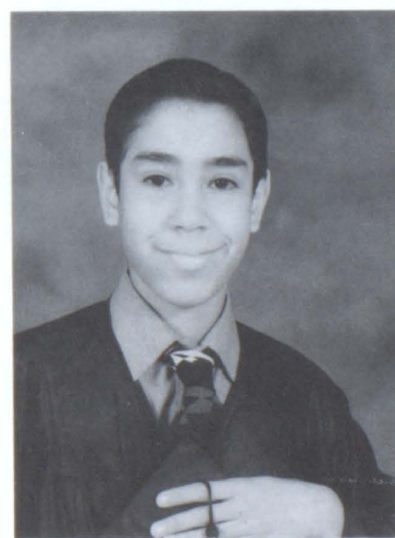
CALI R.I.P. 1978-1996



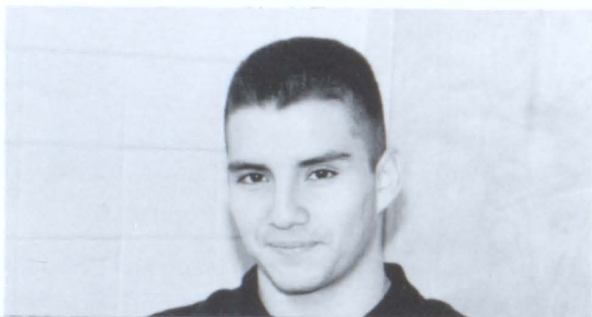
Sometimes life can be something that you thought you would never see, and in an instant you're back to the beginning. Looking down from the sky, telling us in our minds, "Don't cry, I shine, every day life goes on." Keep on, Keep on, you can't change what went on. Love is life, and life is living. My mind is illin, but I know Ed-Dog is chilling. We can't stress born incarcerated His heart is in our's, but can't nobody fade us.



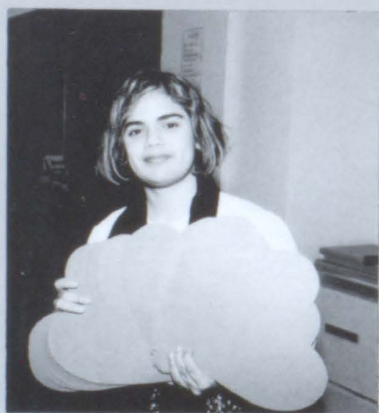
ED-DOG R.I.P. 1979-1996



During a group discussion, Mrs. Fran Pignatelli's English class pauses for the photographer. Julissa Ramos ponders over her future.



While holding the hearts of many cupids, Carin Michelle Diaz poses for a quick shot.



Before class, Warner Gramajo stops to answer questions about the wrestling team.



With a dictionary in her hand, Monique Martin works to expand her vocabulary.





Directory



Taking time out to flash her winning smile, Evelisse Dejesus prepares for the typing exam.

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Barringer Class of 1996 Directory

Name, Address, Birthday, Zodiac-Sign, Nickname, Phone, College and Goals, Clubs and Extra Curricular Activities, Fondest Memory of Barringer, Favorite Saying, Wishes For the Class of 1997, Other Comments

Reinaldo Acevedo...16 Hinsdale Pl...8/28/78...Virgo...482-1546.

Jose Adorno...424 Summer Ave...9/4/78...Virgo...Joey...485-2456...Fairleigh Dickinson/Make Loot University Getting ripped with all my peoples from Bryant St...“What’s messing with that”...stay cool...I love you Sean.

Poliena Agostinho...298 N. 7th St... 12/28/77...Capricorn...Polly...483-5588...Montclair State University...Travel and Tourism...I love you Chucky...Good Luck.

Liz V. Agosto...81 Montclair Ave. Apt.6... 8/7/78...Leo...Vanessa...485-6715...Rutgers University of New Brunswick, Business Administrator...Participated in concert, Latin, and Marching Bands...Bad times and good times I spent with my friends and some teachers... “What’s up?” ...Make your wishes come true.

Alvarado Alejandro...68 Garside St...9/16/78...Virgo...Pesao-Alex...482-0436...Rutgers University-Doctor...Baseball, Empower...1994-Summer School...“Go Bears”...Study hard, always be here.

Joanna Alers...239 Mt. Prospect Ave...10/17/78...Joly...planning to attend Katherine Gibbs School, to become a Medical Executive Assistant...Youth Alive Club, Chorus, Early Childhood Dev...When a friend of mine tripped, going up the stage “Did it hurt, Dito”... “Nena” ...Never say I can’t. If you put your minds to it, you can always reach your goal...Thanks to God, my parents and family. My Best Friend “Jessie” Luv You always. Thanks for having so much patience with me and to Linnette and the Sinai Crew, Good Luck in H.S. God Bless.

Sarai Alers...239 Mt. Prospect Ave...2/23/77...Pisces...Sara...485-5103...Bloomfield College and become a Registered Nurse...Art Club...When Mr. O’Neal cancelled an assembly because people were talking to much...“What up”...Let’s open our eyes, we’re entering a new world...Mrs. Alamo just wanted to say thanks for everything, you have been like my older sister. I will never forget your counseling and opinions. Thank you once again.

Faruq Ali...245 Roseville Ave...3/15/79...485-3305...Montclair State University...Future Business Leaders...When I leave.

Kim Annette Allmond...126 Highland Ave...6/21/78...Cancer...K-Kay...481-1819...New York Restaurant School and Montclair State University. Goal is to be Restaurant Manager...Youth Choir and Creative Writing...“What goes around comes around”...Hope you have a successful year.

Karina Alvarado...522 Central Ave...1/3/79...Pisces...623-6494...Bloomfield College and Study Business Administration...Volleyball Team...When my friends and I went to play Volleyball at the YMCA...Have fun class of 97...To study and be someone in the world of tomorrow.

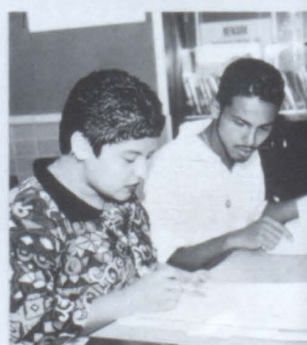
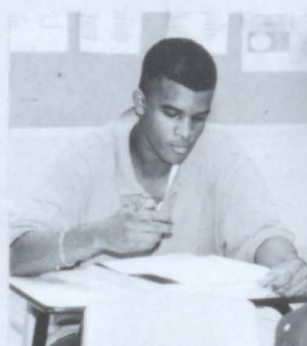
Nancy Andujar...157 Verona Ave #2...7/11/76...Cancer...Nana...482-3594...Business School...Cutting class and running around the hallways...“Whatever”...Hang in there.

Johan Antigua...397 N12th St...7/23/77...Cancer...J-Dog...481-4529...Montclair State College and study electricity...Basketball...My Sophomore year when I came to Barringer...“Can’t play a dog”...I wish them all, good luck in the future...Major shout-out to the G-Clan. “Elias, Bubba, Jackson, and the rest of the Dogz.

Paula Araujo...65 Peck Ave...10/28/74...Scorpio...Red...485-6850...Jersey City State College and study Child Development...The fun I had in my classes and the good friends I’ve met especially Heidi Mendez...Best wishes and hope you have a very good year...Thank you to my favorite teachers, Ms. J. Austin for teaching me as well as always willing to listen to me and also Ms. D. Bennitt.

Cesar Arroyo...16 North End Terrace...11/27/77...Sagittarius...Aker...484-3863...Essex County College and make it to the top...Cutting class with the girls and chilling with my boys...“If you can’t have what you want take it”...I hope everyone is successful in life...I wish all the teachers could make the school more fun.

Wilfredo Arroyo...114 Elwood Ave...6/18/78...Gemini...Junior...Beeper 468-6760/Home 484-6-9642...Miami U or Penn State...Computers and Math...Wrestling Team and the coach...Good Luck



Bears In Their Natural Habitat

class of 97...I'm going to miss all my friends and the wrestling team.

Sandra Ayala...613 N5th St...7/13/78...Cancer...Sandy...484-7922...Rutgers University and study to be a Teacher or Pediatric Nurse...Band member, Marching band, and Future Teachers Club...“yeah” “OK”...I wish the class of 97 best of luck with the HSPT.

Jessica Badillo...409 N6th St...10/11/78...Libra...Jessy...Seton Hall and study physical therapy...Newspaper/Yearbook Staff...Meeting Friends...“Oh My God”...Best of luck to everyone in class of 97...Just want to say hi to my friends Adriana, Stephen, Javier, Ariel, Koko, and David.

Carmen Baez...216 Bloomfield Ave #8...12/14/78...Sagittarius...Linette...484-2189...Essex County College and to become a firefighter...Cutting class and playing hooky and never getting caught...“I don't give a “...Wish them the best, and hope they all pass the HSPT...Barringer is not as bad as people think. You just have to be aware of passing your classes, and the very hard test being the HSPT's.

Damian Bargaineer...111 Lincoln Ave...5/30/78...Gemini...D...497-1455...N.J.I.T. or Hampton University and plan to major in Computer Engineering...Football...My Friends...Keep doing what your doing.

Jesenia Bellen Barrillas...88 4th Ave...3/30/77...Aries...Jeannie

Lourdes V. Basco...425 Mt. Prospect Ave. Apt 521...4/15/78...Aries...Chubby...485-9339...Essex County College and then for Nursing and then six month training for flight attendant...The rumbles and the shouting in the hallway...“What's up”...Hope you could make it through your Senior year, and make sure you pass the HSPT's.

Sherrod Bates...51 Clifton Ave...7/4/78...Cancer...Flaps...481-4...St. John's University and would like to own a restaurant...Basketball (Varsity and J.V.)...When I was a member of the varsity basketball team and we upset Montclair H.S. ranked #1 in the county...Yo! Just do what you got to do.

Leidy M. Bautista...311 Mt. Prospect Ave 4-C...6/26/79...Cancer...Law and Communication and attend Trenton State College or Montclair State University...Newspaper/Yearbook, Art Club, Archives Club, Video Club, and Photography Club...Hanging out with my friends on the Newspaper...“How Pathetic”...Be patient, accept criticism and good luck in your Senior Year...Good things come to those who wait.

Jessica Bermudez...347 Lake St...4/5/78...Aries...Jessie...Our holiday parties...“Oh My Gosh”...I wish them all good luck.

Na-eem Cain...274 2nd Ave...5/20/78...Taurus...Na...373-1224...Essex County College and major in math...Chillin up in the hall “wilding”...“I can't” “Calm down”...Just chill and do right cycles 1-3 and wild 4th.

Ernesto Carpio Jr...326 Woodside Ave...9/20/78...Virgo...Beeper 205-3868...Police Academy to become a police officer...Best teachers in all the schools I've been to.

James Carter...96 S12th St...8/12/78...Leo...Jimmy...484-8889...Essex County College...Basketball...“Yo know this mean”...Make your Senior year be the best.

Felix Ceron...289 N4th St...9/04/78...Virgo...Mercer County College to be a computer engineer.

Elvis Colon...270 Summer Ave...6/11/77...482-8262

Fernando Colon...437 Central Ave...2/25/78...Pisces...Fern...430-1561...Plan on going to the Marines and come out and join the Essex County Police Department...Aspira...All the girls, trip to “Great Adventures” and parties...“A”...Be all you can be in B.H.S...I'll see you later.

Luis Colon...437 Central Ave...2/25/78...Pisces...Lou...Military...Varsity basketball and baseball...Getting people confused with my twin brother...Everything has its rewards...May their goal or dreams come true.

Katidia Colon...156 Mt. Prospect Ave...9/30/78...Libra...Kathy...484-5070...Berkeley College and Travel and Tourism...Cutting with my girls...“Never say never and I love you Julio”...Hope that you reach you goals.

Seleema Colwell...974A Franklin Ave...8/2/76...Leo...Little Leema...481-0633...Volleyball Team...I wish them good luck in all they do.

Marisol Concepcion...209 Lake St...7/11/77...Cancer...Mari...483-2337...Montclair State University and major in communications...Softball team for three years...All the good friends that made the four years so memorable... "ill"...Good Luck...I would like to thank my mom for helping me and Omar for being such a good friend when I needed him.

Macdella Cooper...175 1st St...3/13/77...Pisces...481-4953...To attend Georgetown University or University of Maryland College Park...Journalism and Travel.

Luis E. Cordero...529 Roseville Ave...7/28/78...483-8196

Ricardo Correa...384 4th Ave...2/9/78...Aquarius...Titi...268-1205...Rutgers University and be a Business Administration Personel...Future Teacher, Choir, and Marching Band...Being in the latin concert, Marching Band and singing in the Chorus... "Ohh Lord"...Work hard if you want to go somewhere...Have fun and be cool.

Mariel Cosme...103 Highland Ave #2...4/29/78...Taurus...Mary...study dentistry...This school had many memorable moment and I'll remember all my friends and all my teachers forever.

Marisol Cortes...784 Highland Ave...8/13/78...Leo...485-3175...Become an Accountant...Newspaper/Yearbook, Leadership club, and FBLA...The fact that even though we have a bad reputation we are still a good school... "Babe"...I hope Macdella, Leidy, and myself stay as the three amigas even if we are not in the same school.

Juan Cotto...38 Bryant St...2/19/78...Pisces...John...485-8175...Seton Hall...Good Luck.

Cynthia Crespo...583 N5th St...3/10/78...Pisces...Marielita...481-9055...Business School...Tennis team...The good times and the bad times I spent during these four years... "Hi Honey"...Try to do your best and make your wishes come true.

Javier Crespo...74 Mt. Prospect Ave...6/17/78...Gemini...Jav or Spic...Montclair State University for computer science...Art Club...The fights, drugs, and "Brilliant Road Scholars"... "No lo creo", "No me joda" "spic" "Steevvvveeee" "No Dice" "Santucci for President"...I hope you all burn in a bloody, maggot filled hell...What's up to my Strap Crew: Stephen G., Jose V., Ariel R., Eric M. and everybody else including the Mrs. "Thank You Very Much" and "That's not nice from you" Adriana Yerovi, FOO FIGHTERS RULE!!!

Aminah Crowder...144 Brunswick St...1/8/79...Capricorn...Mina...Montclair State University, practice law or become an Accountant...The time we had a fire drill and raided the store for juices, because it was hot... "You know that's right"...Good Luck...I never like history until I had Mr. Santucci, Thanks.

Estrella Cruz...234 Roseville Ave...4/9/78...Aries...Star...485-0317...Rutgers University and be successful in a business career...Travel and Tourism...All the nasty stink bombs... "If there was a grade for walking the halls, we'd all pass"...I wish you the best of luck in the future.

Gloria Cruz...152 Garside St...10/17/78...Libra...484-1719...Essex County College...The Prom.

Naida Cruz...31 Webster St...1/10/77...Capricorn...China...Berkeley College or Essex County College...Band...The fun, excitements, acting stupid, making people laugh, and chilling with my friends... "I love you Carlos"...Congratulations class of '96" Hasta la vista everyone.

Osvaldo Cruz...533 Bloomfield Ave...10/2/78...Libra...Ozzie...Football and Golf Team...good luck.

Luz Davila...131 S10th St...12/8/77...Sagitarious...Lulu...483-1409...Katherine Gibbs School and work as a medical executive assistant...Red Cross Club and Chorus...The willingness of some teachers helping the students learn... "Where there's a will, there's a way"...Wish you all luck in the future...When you set your mind to do something, you can accomplish it, no matter what it takes.

Jasmin G. Defrancisci...26 Garside St...3/7/78...Pisces...GiGi...484-5285...University of the Arts in Philadelphia to become a graphic designer...Art Club and shopping at Aeropostale...Junior trip to Great Adventures... "Good thing come in small packages"...Don't get caught...I love you Jamie, Dr. Daniels thank you, and why can't the rabbit ever get his trix?

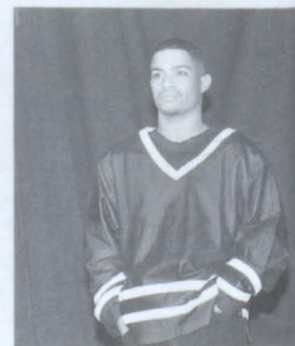
Jecelyn DeJesus...427 3rd Ave...5/3/78...Taurus...Jecy...482-6508...False fire drills and cat-fights... "Yeah right"...Try hard to succeed. Go for yours. Never stop striving. Good luck...Thanks, to my parents and teachers who looked me out, and friends who made class of '96 a memorable year for me. Love Ya.

Raheem Denson...60 4th St...6/13/77...Gemini...497-1307...Plan to enter a field in law...Every class I go to, I have friends there...Do what's best for you and don't worry about everyone...If you take school for granted, you'll regret it later on in life.

Demetrius Diaz...42 Mt. Pleasant Ave...8/10/78...485-6842...Seton Hall and hopefully become a detective...Basketball team...So many being that I have been a class-clown these last few years...Sucking my teeth- than saying "Elk", plus a variety of other insults...Get everything you have to get done out of the way, especially those HSPT's...Just graduate and get it over with

Miguel Diaz...196 Highland Ave...9/14/79...Virgo...Seton Hall to become a Chemist and enough money and strength to get what I want...Soccer, Wrestling, and Tennis...The people I met and times we had fun and the teachers who helped me...Pass the HSPT's and graduate.

Ximena L. Diaz...196 Highland Ave...6/28/78...cancer...Shortie...483-1228...Jersey City State College to major as the best business accountant and make my dreams come true...Tennis...All the fun, I





had with my friends, also all the cute soccer players I met...to pass the HSPT test and do good in all your classes so you can graduate.

Francisco A. Espinal...97 Summer ave...1/24/78...Aquarius...Frank or Frankie...482-9214...Rutgers University to become a Mechanical Engineer and study for a masters in foreign language...French Club...The day Kevin Barnes was shot and the fight between Dominicanos and Boricuas...“Venao” “Brazo Largo”...Study, don’t kiss butt...Long live the free world.

Rosmond Ferguson...233 N5th St...10/15/77...Libra...Alexis...484-7071...Montclair State and become a Doctor...Newspaper/Yearbook, National Honor Society, Student Council, and Academic Decathlon...Being in the Talent Show...“For Real”...I hope everyone can accomplish the goal they set out to accomplish, and good luck.

Vanessa Fontanez...65 Park Ave #4...6/9/78...Gemini...485-0181...Bloomfield College and become a Veterinarian...Volleyball and Softball.

Yesenia Fernandez...382 N12th St...6/7/78...Gemini...Yesi (Jesse)...485-6970...Montclair State University and major in Arts, Business, and Fashion...My senior year getting prepared for senior pictures with Marisol and Alixa...“Relax” “Chill B”...good luck...to my girlies, what are you gonna do Now! About your hair?

Mireya Flores...228 Orange St...8/18/77...Leo...Natisha...242-8659...To go to a four year college and study pre-med...Chess Club...When I went on a trip with Mrs. Luongo in my Sophomore year to go ice-skating...“Hello”...Don’t give up.

Chandre Gamble...201 Littleton Avenue...9/8/78...Virgo...Ne’Ne’...824-0581...Shaw University to become a Pediatrician...The hallways, Ms. Malik’s class, and the cute boys (some of them anyway)...“Yo he’s cute”...Don’t cut class or school because it’s not worth it...I wish you all the best of luck in all your studies and I hope you all will be receiving your diploma this year.

Anamaria Garcia...1971 McCarter HWY. #7A...7/15/78...Cancer...Nana...485-8506...Montclair State University and major in child pshchology to help the children who are in need of advice...Volleyball, softball, and wrestling...Barringer’s first win in softball after four years in 1995 (9-11, our record)...“Are you serious?!”...Work hard for your future, because no one else is gonna do it for you.

Angel Garcia...477 N6th St...1/9/78...Capricorn...K7...483-3542...Rutgers University and major in Computer Science...Looking at girls in gym class...“Calm Down”...I would like to give a shout out to J.V.S. and Ab. Ave.

Carlos Garcia...79 Broadway...2/27/78...Pisces...Javy...“How you doing”...Good luck.

Elias Garcia...459 Summer Ave...1/14/77...Capricorn...“Papito”...To be a computerized accountant...Baseball Team...First day I arrived at Barringer High...“One-Love”...Work hard, and struggle in life and you are sure to be a success...Mr. Alvarez, thank’s for believing in me Mr. Dowdell keeping it real, and Mr. Oderman, don’t ever change, Mrs. Smith stay strong.

Mary L. Garcia...305 Lake St. 1st Fl. #2...1/23/78...Aquarius...Mary...482-4496...Undecided on college...Volleyball team and fitness class...Being able to pass my HSPT’s and being able to spend time with my friends...“Tato” “Mi Pana”...Hope to see them in the future and see them become somebody...Wish my true friends the best and to remember that they’ll always have a friend in me.

Omar Garcia...11/16/77...Scorpio...Bubba G...The army medical...special teachers...“LRW”...good luck.

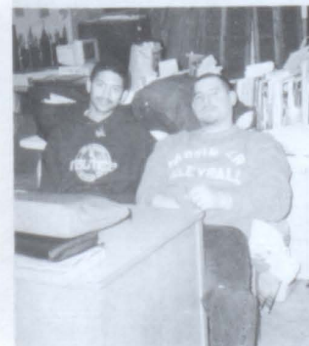
Stephen Garcia...88 1st St. 2nd Fl...2/26/78...Don’t believe in that zodiac business...“Computer Kid”...482-1520...New York University, Marry Jamie Torres, Keep Youth Alive Club in School, Try to get the Bible back in the school curriculum, Save as many lives for Jesus as I can, and Carry out God’s perfect plan for my life...Newspaper/Yearbook Staff, Youth Alive Club, Senior Class President, National Honor Society President, Valedictorian, Youth Group Treasurer, Full Time Christian...Meeting all my new friends who made the four years memorable...“Jesus Loves You” “I love you” “K-Pasa Bro” “No Lo Creo” “I love you Jamie”...Barringer will always be what you make of it...I Thank God and my church for seeing me through everything in life, Mom, no words can express my thanks to you and how much I love you. Thank you to everyone who I might not have mentioned and I love you all.

Angel Gonzalez...56 Broad St...10/9/77...Libra...Angel...483-0602 Emerg...To be an artist...Art Club...Hanging with all my friends and having fun...I wish them all good luck, and to have faith in themselves and make something of their lives.

Jamilette Gomez...552 Broadway...4/28/78...Renselaer to study engineering...Hanging in the corner...“Shut your mouth”.

Werner Gramajo...527 Summer Ave 2nd Fl...7/19/77...Cancer...Steroid Baby...483-1744...Trenton State College and become a Ph. D. in physical education...Baseball, Wrestling, Soccer teams, and French Club...Becoming Captain of all three sports that I played and getting the farthest on the Wrestling Team...Study hard and if you play any sport, give it 100% every time...Never give up and never quit.

Johnny Guerrero...522 N13th St...1/8/78...Capricorn...Bruce Lee...483-4246...Montclair State Univer-



sity to become a marital artist...Future Business Leaders Club and Martial Arts...Hiking on Mr. Green...“True Dat”...for all of them to pass their HSPT's and graduate...I want to give a shout out to Ab. Ave., Antipasados, Table 4, and Ninja University.

Sekera Hall...244 N6th St...8/13/77...Leo...Kea'-Kea' Kara...485-0549...Montclair State University, Kean or Ramapo College...Marching Band, Cheerleading and Track Team...When I won the contest for Ms. August...“Shut-Up” “That's my dog” “I'll punch you in your nose”...Do your best to be the best...I would like to give a shout-out to all my peoples: my Sho-Sho, Alisha, Shevell, Shamar, Crystal, Taneesha, Angela, Gea, Mommy, Mr. Al., Grandma, Tyronda, Baseemah, Sir and most of the class of '96.

Shuquawna Hall...244 N6th St...3/31/78...Aries...Sister...624-0252...Seton Hall University to be a Social Worker with D.Y.F.U.S...Mentoring Program...“I am so confused”...Despite any downfalls you may have had before, this point in time, it is not too late to make things right.

Lynnette Hargrove...186 N12th St...5/18/76...Taurus...Nett...Clarkson College and succeed in nursing...Part time job...Stay in school, things might seem hard but you will be proud of yourself when you succeed.

Nicole Harp...121 S11th St...10/9/77...Libra...Shorty...484-5062...Montclair State University to major in Business Computers...“Good things come in small packages”...Best wishes to the class of 97 and good luck...I would like to give a special shout out to the class of 96.

Steve Harp...121 S11th St...6/21/76...Cancer...Stevie...484-5062...Rutgers University and take up Law or Hotel Restaurant Management...Future Teachers of America and Travel and Tourism...My fondest memory of Barringer is when I started working in the main office...I don't even know...I wish the class of 97 the best of luck and to remember to stay strong...I would like to give a shout out to all my friends and family and to my, father. I love you.

Tamara T. Herbert...23 Triton Terrace...11/26/77...Saggitarius...Chipmunk...484-3608...Seton Hall University and earn a Nursing degree...Playing around never pays off in the end, study hard.

Arelis Hernandez...348 Clinton Ave...3/13/77...Pisces...King College and be a Social Worker.

Jacqueline Herrera...23 Grafton Ave...2/16/78...Aquarius...481-9416...Jersey City State College and go to the Army Reserve...Ambition is to become a lawyer...Volleyball...“What's up”...Good luck, and I wish you the best for the year to come as Seniors...The four years that I've been in this school have been “All Right” because of the people I've met, the laughing, and the buggin out with my friends.

Rashong Hilton...175 1st St...2/19/78...Pisces...Rosco...482-1824...Seton Hall and major in Finance...Math Club and Basketball Team...Playing on the basetball team at a home game...“What's up”...Hang in there, it's just one more year...Don't give up.

Alba Shakina Hurst...375 N13th St...2/25/78...Pisces...King...485-8492.

Bryant S. Isaac...176 Roseville Ave...2/19/78...Pisces...Poo-Bear or Boo...673-7813...Plan to attend a state college...Chorus, soccer, and Track and field...The girls in the school and the cool teachers...“Get out my face” “Guess what?” “Nothing”...good luck never be as good as class of 96.

Chante Renee Jackson...332 Sussex Ave...7/9/78...Cancer...Tae...482-3114...Essex County College for nursing...Taking senior poster picture with my son...“What's up”...Have as much fun as you possible can but also get your education.

Curtis Jones...294 18th Ave apt 2D...6/11/78...Gemini...Curt Dog...374-7863...Essey May School of Nursing...“See ya when I see ya”...Pass the HSPT's.

Rashawna-Shaheedah Jones...107 S11th St...7/18/78...Cancer...Bloomfield College or Montclair State University to be an accountant...Being in Mr. Oderman's and Mr. Rivers classes...“Yeah Al-right”.

Lakeisha Jefferson...114 9th Ave...6/3/78...Gemini...482-5817...New York University and be a business woman...Cheerleading...Jealous girl...“Damn Gina”...Do your homework and please don't cut class.

Che' Jones...7 Myrtle Ave...8/24/77...Virgo...Habu...481-5855...Princeton University or Morehouse college...Drama, Speech, Student Council and, Chorus... When I fell down the bleachers in the gym room...“Please”, “Yeah Right”...May God bless all of you and may Heaven smile on you...To Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Pignatelli, and Mrs. Carniegie, Thank you for everything you ladies are a blessing. God Bless.

Joseph Johnson...141 9th St...7/78/77...Leo...Joey...481-6665...Teterboro school of Aeronautics...Mr. Oderman and Mr. Green...“Nobody's perfect...Good luck, only ten more months.

Jennifer Labrada...363 N7th St...1/4/76...Capricorn...Ramapo college...French Club...The hard working teachers in Barringer...“Maybe”...work hard and pass the HSPT's...Keep up the good work, teachers, administrator, and students.

Nadiyah Shantay Lambert...187 Parker St...9/12/78...Virgo...Shont...483-7120...Seton Hall or Stockton College for computer science...Travel and Tourism...Sohpomore year, when everybody was cool with each other...“I didn't cut”, “I just left”...Follow your dreams and don't look back.





Saheedah Lambert...318 S11th St...8/27/78...Virgo...Sha...621-8640...Katherin Gibbs or Wilfred to get a good job and make something of my life...The day I ran into the love of my life...“illk”...Study hard and keep your grades up. Visit your counselor.

Alix Lamboy...129 Montclair Ave...4/7/78...Aries...Lissy...483-4110...Rutgers University to take up criminal justice...Volleyball, Debate team, and Aspira...Crowded hallways...“Yeah right Bro”...Lot’s of luck...To my honey (you know who you are) things will never change.

Tiffany Leverett...250 Georgia King Village apt 13-A...12/10/78...Sagittarius...Tiffy...824-8905...Essex County College for business administration/management...Cheerleader and Travel and Tourism...Fire drills everyday after 4th period, and everybody sneaking to the store...“Wha-zup” “yeah right”...I wish them good luck and stay strong...I wanna give 2’Pac mad props and to my baby Hykime, I love you.

Naheem Lewis...180 Fabyan Pl...5/13/77...Taurus...Big Nahz...318-7831...Hampton University...“Puff, Puff, pass”...Stay High.

Alexandro Lopez...114 Pennsylvania Ave apt #1...6/21/77...643-4233.

Nellie Lopez...518 3rd St...2/5/77...Aquarius...Nene...485-4507...To become a Nurse...Chilling with the peoples from B.H.S...Get bent and enjoy school year...To my mother, thank you for believing in me, also to Yari “Love Ya”, to Makque and to Rock, thanks for everything to all the B.S.K. people, keep it tight, whoever disliked me, too bad.

Richard Lopez...286 4th St...5/8/78...Taurus...484-0937...Become a Computer Programmer...1994 Pep Rally...Good luck in 97.

Elizabeth Lozada...99 Montclair Ave...7/4/78...Cancer...Lissie.

Jesus Wilfredo V. Macareg Jr...443 Delavan Ave apt 2-C...5/23/79...Gemini...JHUN...483-6572...West Point to become a professional Soldier...“No one is perfect”...I wish I succeed.

Shaunteeka Daonyia Mangan...33 Hambolt St...2/24/78...Pisces...Teeka...(908)525-2135...Spellman College to become an Air Flight Attendant, and making it for my daughter...The Barringer Infant/Toddler Center and Mrs. Y. Lee...“Yeah Right”...Good luck and keep on making it...I want to thank all my teachers, and most of all the Barringer, Infant Toddler Center, because if it wasn’t for them I don’t know where I would be now.

Monique Martin...34 Van Wagenen St...2/7/77...Minnie...482-6307...St John’s University, John Jay University, or Essex County College for Law/Criminal Justice...Cheerleader...It’s name...“I’ll meet you at Broad and Market”...You can do it, it’s all in your mind...Never give up, go for what you know.

James Martinez...95-97 Parker St...1/4/77...Capricorn...“The Undertaker”...485-5398...Plan to go to a business school and become a Mortician or a Writer...Raising the dead and my own group with my legion of the dead, Dead Onez...Being remembered as a very dark, grim person and meeting the love of my life...“It’s not death, if you refuse it”...Hope you all have a good life and keep the lights on, cuz the Dead Onez are coming...Everyone, sometime in their life, will experience the power of the other side-The Darkside, P.S. I love you GiGi.

Yvonne Martinez...362 Mt. Prospect Ave E-2...6/2/78...Gemini...483-7983...Fairleigh Dickinson University to become a doctor of medicine...Read and listen to music with all my friends...The day I met Mr. Santucci...“Acuna Matata”...I hope that all of them succeed in what they want to do...I feel that Mr. Santucci has said many words of wisdom to me. He speaks from experience.

Willie Massenburg...190 William St apt 9...9/2/78...Virgo...Will...678-7255...Grambling State University to play football and wear my high school number 3 QB OLB...Football, baseball and Track team...We (The Football Team) almost beat Clifton in 94-95 season...“Chill Yo” “Go head Man”...Good luck in the future to all my peoples in the class of 97...To all the teachers and administrators who tried to suspend me, give me early morning detention, and keep me in here for another year, better luck next time, peace out.

Jameel Matthews...221 6th Ave...7/12/78...Cancer...Jam...485-9361...To become a doctor...Senior Class Committee and Student Council President...Cheerleaders at the homecoming dance ‘93...“I don’t wanna talk”...Hope you all pass the HSPT’s...I’d like to thank you for making me B.H.S. Student Council President.

Tanya McCord...323 Park Ave apt 32...8/23/78...Virgo...T-Bone...482-4543...Rutgers University and become a criminal justice attorney...The fun times me and my friends shared during these past years at Barringer...“Bounce”...Good luck and make sure you pass all your HSPT’s the first time around...I’m glad to be out of here on time with my class and not a minute later.

Martha Mejia...254 Parker St...1/17/77...Capricorn...Julie...482-4152...Katherine Gibbs College and become a legal secretary...Hope that everybody succeeds in the future...To me Barringer has been a school with bad times and good times, but they were all fun times.

Heidi Mendez...175 1st St apt 3C...2/9/78...Aquarius...268-9592...To be a beautician...Having my son in the day care center...Best of luck to everyone.

Ernest Mitchell...220 S11th St...6/2/78...Gemini...Ernie...624-7541...Undecided about college but plan to major in Computer Graphics and gymnastics...Drama Club and Speech team...Participating in Drama and the times I spent with all my friends...“Stop it”, “Spank You”, “Farfignugan” “True



Dat"...Stay in school and take your Senior Year seriously...Barringer High is one nation under groove.

Tameka Mitchell...1915 McCarter HWY...12/27/78...Capricorn...484-1310...Essex County College for nursing...The day I passed the test to get out of Barringer...Do the best you can, and don't screw up because you will regret it.

Edward R. Molina...33 Hecker St...11/9/76...Scorpio...Ed...482-3763...N.J.I.T. to become a construction engineer...Art Club, Yearbook/Newspaper Illustrator, Wrestling and Football...Having a wining wrestling season.

Elvis Molina...559 Broadway...12/27/77...Capricorn...Esen...483-1473...To become a cartoon animator...Boys Club and Aspira...Walking Barringer's Hallways, chilling with the crew and the honey... "Wad Up Kid"...Succeed in life and it will pay off...I love Barringer always and forever, much props to anyone in Barringer Newark, N.J. 07104.

Miguel A. Molina...250 Summer Ave #2...5/18/78...Taurus...Mickey...482-2418...Undecided about college but want to major in English...After school studies...In this high school, I passed moments and experiences which were all wonderful with all my friends and teachers...I want to learn more English in college...I want everyone to study more for their future.

Leida Ivette Montanez...16 Hindsale Pl...9/1/78...Virgo...Sweetheart...482-1546...Montclair State University to major in Paralegal law or Early Childhood Development...Future Teachers Club, Colorguard, Senior Class Committee, and Chorus...When I won first place in 95 Talent show for solo singing... "My name is Leida Montanez and these are the Senior announcements"...stay in school and broaden your horizons to make something out of yourself...I'd like to say best wishes now and forever to my best friend Latisa Bell. May all your wishes come true "sis."

Ruben Morales...179 James St apt 1-A...9/17/78...Virgo...Ruby Rub...824-7046...Seton Hall University and the Army Reserve...Aspira Club...Chilling with the rest of the joovaniles in the hallways... "What's Up" "Chillin"...Don't drop out...I would like to give a shout-out to my sweetheart Danyelle and all my boys.

Latish Moore...289 N5th St apt #3...1/28/77...Aquarius...Sleepy...Howard University to become a kindergarten teacher. On the side, become a singer...Marching Band...The pep rallies and all the running in the hallways sophomore year... "You never know what I'm going to do until you cross my pathway"...Put your mind to everything you do, and you will accomplish it...Barringer was a great school to meet people, I met a lot of students in the past four years, and I also knew most of the teachers. Thanks for the four years of teaching me, I really needed it.

Jamillah Rashida Morgan...284 S8th St...5/1/78...Taurus...Trenton State, Jersey City State, Essex County, or any college that will take me...Drama Club and Vice President of Senior Class...The Talent shows and the Drama Class... "What's up"...Keep your head and believe in yourself. Avoid negative sources, places, people, things, and habits. Keep trying no matter what.

Crystal McGee...220 Roseville Ave #402...6/22/78...Cancer...Cookie...485-7327...William Paterson College to attend Nursing...Drama Club and Color Guard...Watching the marching band perform and participating with them... "Yeah, whatever"...Set goals in life so you can have something to look forward to...Barringer would be a better school if more staff members would try to understand the students more.

Ester Nieves...215 N6th St...1/25/78...Aquarius...Ettie...482-8036...Berkeley College for accounting... "You got Problems!"...Do your best in all your classes.

Marquis Nunely...186 N12th St...10/24/78...Scorpio...Ace, Monkeywrench...484-7996...University of Maryland to become an accountant...The day I graduate... "Word is born" "Know what I'm saying" "That's what I'm talking about"...Good luck.

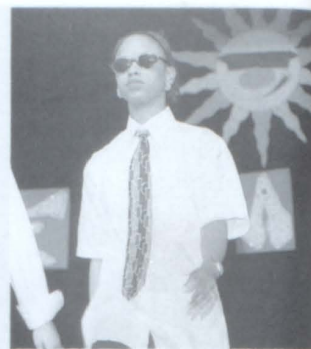
Jonah Olayinka...381 Broad St apt 1812A...5/19/77...Taurus...481-4561...N.J.I.T. for Mechanical Engineering...Yearbook/Newspaper Staffs and Soccer team... "Get your mind out of your pants"...All the luck and the goodies in their education...I would like to thank all my teachers at Barringer, especially Mr. Sal DiGerlando who has made a big difference in my life.

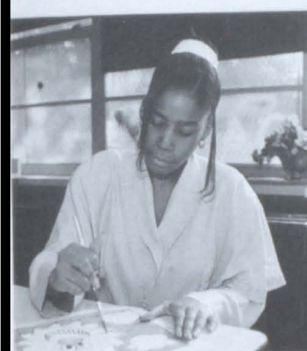
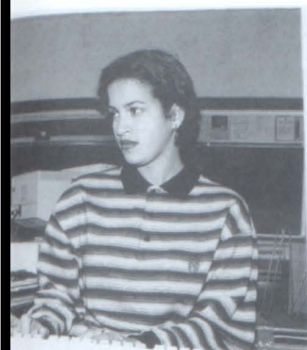
Alexis Olivero...457 Mt. Prospect Ave...1/28/78...Aquarius...Big Al...Jersey City State College and become a narcotics officer...Hiking on Mr. Santucci and Mr. Catullo... "Two tears in a bucket"...Good luck...Best wishes to teachers and staff members.

Leonard Oliver...250 Georgia King Village apt 3C...2/10/78...Aquarius...Tutu...623-3150...St. John's College, Jersey City State, or Morehouse College to become a musician or Business Administrator...Having fun with all my friends and being in class having fun at the same time... "What time is it" "Is it 2:30 yet"...I wish you all the best endeavors and best wishes...I would like to say to the class of 96, peace and good will. I wish the best. Reach for the stars and there is no limit.

Ijeoma Okoh...265 Ellery Ave...3/31/78...Aries...E.J...373-5511...Montclair State University and major in Biology...Student Council Correspondent, secretary, Newspaper/Yearbook staffs... "For Real"...Best wishes to the class of '97 and good luck...Jo-Jo love you for life.

Laura Ortega...212 Grafton Ave...6/2/78...Gemini...Mimi...268-5449...Band...Best friends having fun chilling... "Keep it real" "it's all good"...I would like to say that Barringer High is all that and then





some...Best wishes to Barringer High, and keep it real.

Frank Ortiz...287 N5th St...2/7/77...Aquarius...484-6629...Seton Hall University to be an Electronic Technician...Best wishes for the future.

Ivan Padilla...143 Park Avenue...7/15/78...Cancer...“Prodigio”...484-0391...Montclair State College to go into music...“El Chino Coje Al Benao”...To do well and reach my goal.

Marcos Pagan...543 Summer Ave 1...3/15/78...Pisces...Mike...482-1976...Join the army and go into college...Future Business Leaders of America...The pep rallies.

Aida Ramos...313 Summer Ave...7/30/77...Leo...Yari...806-6154...Become a bomb technician...Chillin with my people from B.S. and always being bent...“watch out”...Enjoy your high school years, it's something you won't forget...To my mother thank you for believing in me. To Nellie thanks for all the good times. To Markque and Joey, thanks for making me laugh. For those of you who don't like me to bad, your going to have to get over it. B.S.K., Keep it tight.

Arlen Perez...160 2nd Ave...6/20/76...Gemini...484-6657...Undecided...Going to class every day...Be someone in the future.

Daisy R. Perez...11 Nursery St...1/178...Capricorn...Geisha...485-8625...Berkeley College to be a flight attendant...Hanging with my friends on Broad And Market...“Hai, Nene” “Virgin Jose”...Good luck in all your HSPT's, Don't fight a lot...I'm a tweety freak, and I love to talk. If you don't believe me ask Mr. Green.

Edgardo Perez...197 Garside St...4/21/78...Taurus...484-9089...N.J.I.T. for a degree in civil engineering and then go for a masters...Wrestling and Golf...Hope you all graduate...

Eduardo Perez...56 Wakeman Ave...7/7/77...Cancer...Eddie...482-2186...Seton Hall University...Football team...wish them all the best of luck.

Julisa Ramos...413 N6th St...2/8/78...Aquarius...Julie...Rutgers or Montclair University to be a nurse or an X-ray technician...All the fun I've had seeing all the fights and chilling on Broad and Market...“Yea Alright Kid”...Good luck you'll need it.

Ariel Rios...204 Montclair Ave...5/5/78...Don't believe in that crap...ARY...483-4663...N.J.I.T. to become a computer engineer...Youth Alive Club and Tennis team, and Newspaper/Yearbook staffs...All my boys and all the women...“God Rules” “Chick-Chick Boooooommm, hhuhrrr” “Jaaavvvv” “Steeevvvveee” “Errriiccc” “I love being Ary” “Ary is so cool” “Damn I look good”...Try hard to keep the Barringer spirit alive...Shout out to The M.O. and Stephen G., Jose Vill. Eric. M., Javier C., Edgardo P., Jose Val, Raheem D., Johanna R., Luis R., and all the Beautiful women and to Jamie, you better take care of my boy Steve. For Steve, shout out to The M.O. and Dave. Koko, We've been best friends for 17 years, let's keep it up.

Johanna Rios...33 Elwood Pl apt #3...6/10/76...Gemini...Shorty...Rutgers University...My friends, Marylid, Carlos, Stephen, Michael, Eric, and my English teacher...“I don't think so”...Good luck to all in the future.

Jacqueline Rivera...25 Crane St...10/8/78...Libra...Jackie...483-7736...College in Puerto Rico and become a lawyer...Graduate with good notes, and to get accepted into a good univhrry...Haaope all the Seniors have wonderful memories after graduation.

Rolando Rivera...14 Govnerur St...9/28/78...Libra...483-5895...When I once cut class and chilled outside...It's all good...To pass their classes and to pass the HSPT's good luck.

Takiba Robinson...207 Chadwick Ave...5/25/77...Gemini...Kiba...643-6684...William Paterson College to become a nurse...Helping handicapped senior citizens...Meeting that special person...“I know”...take your education and goals seriously.

Denise Robles...127 Highland Ave...8/19/77...Leo...Ni-Ni...484-1090...Rowan College to major in nursing...Yearbook Staff...Cutting Mr. Abbatiello's class and driving Ms. Pignatelli crazy...“I don't give a”...Good luck, not only in life but on the HSPT'S...I had fun in Barringer since I was a sophomore but the best year was Senior Year.

Michael A. Rodriguez...465 Central Ave...6/25/78...Gemini...Antonio...621-7734...King College to become a lawyer...Best time of my life and I will remember all my teachers and friends forever...“Never say you can't do something before you try”...I wanted to learn more English to be prepared for the future.

Pedro Rodriguez...465 Central Ave...11/25/76...Scorpio...485-0467...Any college to be an engineer...All my best teachers and my good friends...“Oh my God”.

Hidalys Perez...221 Bloomfield Ave...9/12/78...Virgo...Daly...268-4818...Montclair State University to be a radiologist...My friends...“Chillin”...Good luck Eleina...I love you Lizandra and Deyda.

Julisa Ramos...413 N6th St...2/8/78...Aquarius...Julie...William Patterson for nursing...All the good times spent with my friends and having fun...“yeah alright”...Good Luck and work hard...Just wanted to say thanks and good-bye to all my teachers I had through the years.

Luis Reyes...302 Woodside Ave...8/20/76...Leo...Sweetthing...485-4533...Undecided...Football and Baseball teams...When I became a varsity starter during my sophomore year in football...“You gotta get there!!”...Enjoy high school and all the special things in it...I'm proud to be a Barringer Blue

Bear.

Taia Tamika Richardson...1915 McCarter HWY apt 4C...2/28/78...Pisces...482-5493...To attend Business School and become a successful business woman...Much luck and success...I would like to say to the class of '96, "whatever your mind can conceive and you soul can believe, you can achieve."

Lisa Z. Rivera...14 Gouverneur St apt 2-A...2/1/78...Aquarius...Tuti...John Jay College and plan to be a police officer...Standing every period on Broad and Market seeing all the fights..."yeah right"...Keep doing what your doing and don't quit...To all my peoples of the class of '96, stay cool and stay in touch.

Amarilis Rosales...572 Summer Ave...11/16/77...Scorpion...Ama...205-8685...To have a career and be somebody in the future...Travel and Tourism...When I used to cut classes with Joselyn, Marisol, and Magdalena...Don't cut classes...Keep on trying until you get it done...Thanks to the people who helped me in all ways to get where I am now, especially my parents and teachers.

Katheryn Rosario...862 Mt. Prospect Ave...7/7/78...Cancer...Berkeley College to study office technical systems..."Never say I can't because you never know"...Good Luck.

Joselin Roque...94 S8th St...11/5/77...Libra...Yosy...674-3435...Berkley College to study computer administration and Travel and Tourism to become a professional...Travel and Tourism and Computer Applications...When I use to cut class junior year with my friends..."You know what I'm saying"...To pass their HSPT's and classes so they can make it to college...Thanks to Mrs. Carrino and friends for their time.

Cristina Louise Ruiz...294 4th St...8/21/78...Leo...Chris...482-9431...Berkeley College to become a computer programmer or Essex County for law...Aspira Club...When me, Kathy, and Ariel would drive Ms. Smith crazy..."You gotta do what you gotta do to make it in this world...I wish you all lots of luck in the future and may your dreams come true...I will miss all my friends and most of all Ms. Smith, Mr. Santucci, and Mr. Oderman.

Elsa Santiago...55 Broadway...10/24/78...Scorpio...485-9164...To attend N.J.I.T. and live very happily...Softball and Volleyball team...The friends I made, and the good and bad times I had.

Juan Santiago...321 Park Ave...7/4/78...Cancer...Loco...485-6488...Cook Douglas for Criminal Psychology...RPGA, USS Eldorado, Star Trek Fan Club, and Gamer Guild...Mr. Iannuzzi falling in the snow, now that's cool..."Huevon de Carajo"...World domination is the way to go...Maddella, Jeancy, Leidy, Jonah, and rest of the staff, keep on smoking.

Rafael Santiago...41 Irving St...4/21/78...Taurus...Ralph...483-5609...To go to the Marines and finish college studying medicine...My sweetheart Jackie and also my friends..."What's up fool"...Everyone should grow up to be something important and respected in their life...The last thing I want to say is that I will ever love, good luck and also say that I'll never stop loving my fiancée Jackie.

Irving Schench...212 S6th St...9/7/78...Virgo...Brad (The B-Luv)...643-6815...Three years in the Army, and spend the fourth attending UCONN...Making Super Honor Roll junior year and finding out who my real friends were..."Just Chillin" "Killin Time"...Keep ya' Head up, many of you may fall by the wayside but those of you who are dedicated will make it...Peace to all my peeps from 106 and 13th Ave, Footklan, Mafia, Forget me not while I'm at bootcamp.

Noah Sims...179 S9th St 2nd Fl...12/29/78...Capricorn..."Ski"...596-0856...Lincoln Tech for heating and air conditioning and afterward find a good job..."All man let it go".

Katherine Soto...4/1/78...Aries...Kat or Kathy...482-1301...To become an obstetrician or veterinarian...'94 Representative, and Chess Club..."Be careful what you wish for, you might just get it".

Lizandra Soto...73 Garside St...5/25/78...Gemini...Lee...481-4386...To attend Montclair State University and major in Business...My friends..."Damn BABY you look Good"...Good luck especially for Eliena...One love to the class of '96.

Steven Soto...219 N9th St...12/14/77...Sagittarius...Little Man...482-9795...Montclair State University...Basketball...Being with my friends..."It's all good"...Stay in school, it will be worth it in the future...Good luck in the future.

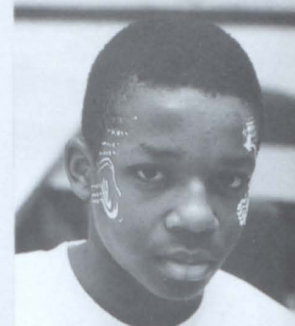
Natasha Thomas...139 N11th St...10/19/77...Libra...485-0838...To attend The Clifton Institute...Student Government...Don't give up no matter what and stay in school.

Devar Thompson...244 S7th St...3/4/78...Pisces...Poppy (Sess)...624-0723...To attend Montclair State University or Grambling University...Band and Football...The cool teachers and the beautiful girls..."Bring it" "One Time" "Ain't nothing"...Good luck and remember to keep you head up...Their's always a time to play and a time to be serious, however you should never judge a book by it's cover.

Iris S. Torres...141 Park Ave...9/24/78...Libra...Jeannie...485-1336...Undecided about college and want to be an actress...Wrestling and Softball team and Martial Arts..."You crazy"...May all of them reach up to their goals.

Juan Turner...162 Ridge St...5/27/78...Gemini...Mr. Kadafee...482-1276...Be Safe.

Juan Urbina...201 Summer Ave...3/16/78...Pisces...484-5679...Plan to attend Montclair State Univer-





sity and major in Computer Programming...Baseball team...Getting to meet new people every-day...Try their best no matter what is in their way.

Jose Valenzuela...259 N5th St...3/18/78...Pisces...484-8826...Montclair State University...The girls and the white owls...“Stop playing”...Stay in school and get your act straight...Be yourself at all times and you will get your goals accomplished.

Jeancy Vazquez...752 Mt. Prospect Ave apt B-3...8/20/78...Leo...Goldylocks...Seton Hall, Kean College, or Rutgers University...Yearbook/Newspaper Staffs, National Honor Society, and Art Club...All the wild times with my friends...“Never underestimate the next person”...Have fun but do it the right way...To all the teachers and friends I had in Barringer High when I needed you, you were there, Thank You.

Nubia Vazquez...157 Verona Ave apt 2...7/20/78...Cancer...Mama...482-3594...To attend Essex County College and pursue my career as a counselor...Cutting class and running through the hallways and kissing guys on the D.L...Take care of yourselves “there’s a rough world out their.”

Jarikza Vega...332 Summer Ave...2/15/78...Aquarius...Jary...Berkeley College...The day they tried to burn the staircase...“Vete par carajo”...Hope every Senior passes...I wish the very best to the class of '96.

Oswaldo Vega...520 Summer Ave...11/13/78...Scorpio...Junito...484-4856...To enter the Army and become a general...Pep rally in '93...Good luck on your upcoming years.

Jose Villacis...703 Highland Ave 3rd Fl...8/18/77...Leo...Attend Montclair State University and become successful in everything I do...Leaving Barringer...“Platano” “Spic”...Graduate and get the hell out of here.

Esther M. Villarong...156 Lincoln Ave...3/19/78...Pisces...484-0505...Undecided.

Jeffrey Warren...61 N4th St...10/11/78...Libra...Jeff...482-1590...Basketball...Beating the 19th Ranked Montclair Basketball team...“Chill”...Chillout and have fun.

Haneefah Webster...317 Broadway...8/9/78...Leo...Neefah...484-3008...To attend Ramapo College in the fall and major in accounting...Computer Club President...Market with Myisha...“Stop Playing”...Good Luck and watchout for Mr. O’Neal...See ya, I’m out.

Kareem West...1925 McCarter HWY 2C...6/10/77...Gemini...483-1869...Undecided.

Danyelle Williamson...251 S7th St...8/23/78...Virgo...Danny Dann...242-3538...To attend Fairleigh Dickerson University...Band and Chorus...The boys, trips and my babies...“Whatever”, “keep it real”, “You know what I’m saying”...Pass the HSPT...I’ll miss you J.V.S. and The Ave.

Lateefah Wooten...208 N6th St...3/31/78...Aries...Teefah...To attend nursing school and start a career in modeling...Travel and Tourism...When everybody had fun and nobody had beef with anybody...“Hey Poo-Poo” “What’s going down”...Keep your head up and don’t use drugs. Class of '96 will always be the bomb...At first things were great at the high, but now nobody talks to anybody and nobody is friends with nobody. What’s up with that?

Lakaisha S. Whiteside...80 Grafton Ave B-14...7/9/77...Cancer...Isha...481-2971...To attend Essex County College or Bloomfield College for business and computers...Track and Band...Chillin with my peoples and watching my daughter learn...“Yeah Alright”...Good Luck to Abe, Smurf, and Mecka '97...I’ll miss you all.

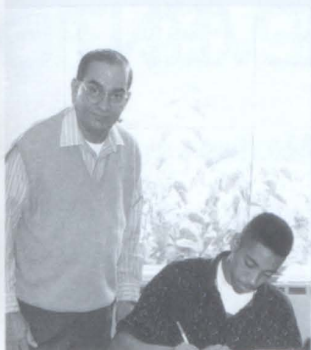
Ray Williams...200 Georgia King Village apt 6-D...6/19/78...Gemini...Ray-Rauy...242-7165...“Know what I mean” “Pretty much”.

Keyamma Al-nisa Whindleton...1963 McCarter HWY apt 2B...10/4/78...484-4199...To attend Saint Peters to become a pre-school teacher...Color Guard...My fondest memory is my 11th grade teacher Mr. Oderman...“What’s going down”...Do your best and don’t give up.

Raheem Wilson...730 M.L. King Blvd...3/12/78...Pisces...Alis...824-0804...To attend Essex County or Trenton State College to study Computer Technology...Chorus and Band...Most of the years I learned to be a better person in life...“God Bless” “Chop, Chop, and Go girl or Boy”...I wish the good luck and may God bless them...I want to say thanks to all the teachers who help me get through the years.

Adriana Yerovi...11/16/78...Montclair State University...My Friends Stephen G. and Jamie T., Jessica B., Ariel R., and my Booby Javier. Thanks to all of you for being their for me and letting me know that there is such a thing as real friends to help me and tell me that I can do anything.

Daniel Zamora...110 Grafton Ave...11/22/77...Scorpio...Danny Boy...484-8078...To become rich and powerful...All the friends I made during the years here...“I’m not a smart man but I know what love is. (Forrest Gump)”...Keep on fighting the system...The years here have been great.-





EVENTS

Singers

1. Mariah Carey-One Sweet Day
2. Boyz II Men-Water Runs Dry
3. Monica-Before You Walk Out Of My Life
4. Alanis Morissette-You Outha Know
5. Mary J.Blige-Not Gonna Cry
6. Brandy-Sitting up in My Room
7. R.Kelly-You Remind Me
8. Coolio-Gansta Paradise
9. Junior M.A.F.I.A-Get Money
10. R.Kelly-Down Low
11. Seal-Kiss From a Rose
12. Nirvana-All Apologies
13. TLC-Waterfalls
14. 3T-Anything
15. Whitney Houston-Exale (Shoop Shoop)
16. LL.Cool J-Hey Lover
17. Selena-I Could Fall in Love
18. Kinito Mendez-Cashamba
19. Mark Anthony-Nadie Como Ella
20. La Bouche-Wanna be my Lover
21. Ramon Orlando-El Venao
22. Jerry Rivera-Ahora que Estoy Solo
23. Pepo-Donde Estara
24. Banda Loca-Las Mujeres y los Cheques
25. Foo Fighters-I'll Stick Around

Movies

1. Batman Forever
2. Higher Learning
3. Friday
4. Don Juan De Marco
5. Clueless
6. Casper
7. Waiting to Exhale
8. Toy Story
9. Broken Arrow
10. 12 Monkeys
11. Bad Boys
12. Die Hard With a Vengeance
13. Dangerous Minds
14. Desperado
15. Assassins
16. Don't be a Menace...
17. Dusk till dawn
18. Casino
19. Rumble in the Bronx
20. Apollo 13
21. Down Periscope
22. Under Siege II
23. Pocahontas
24. Up Close and Personal
25. Independence Day
26. Beautiful Girls



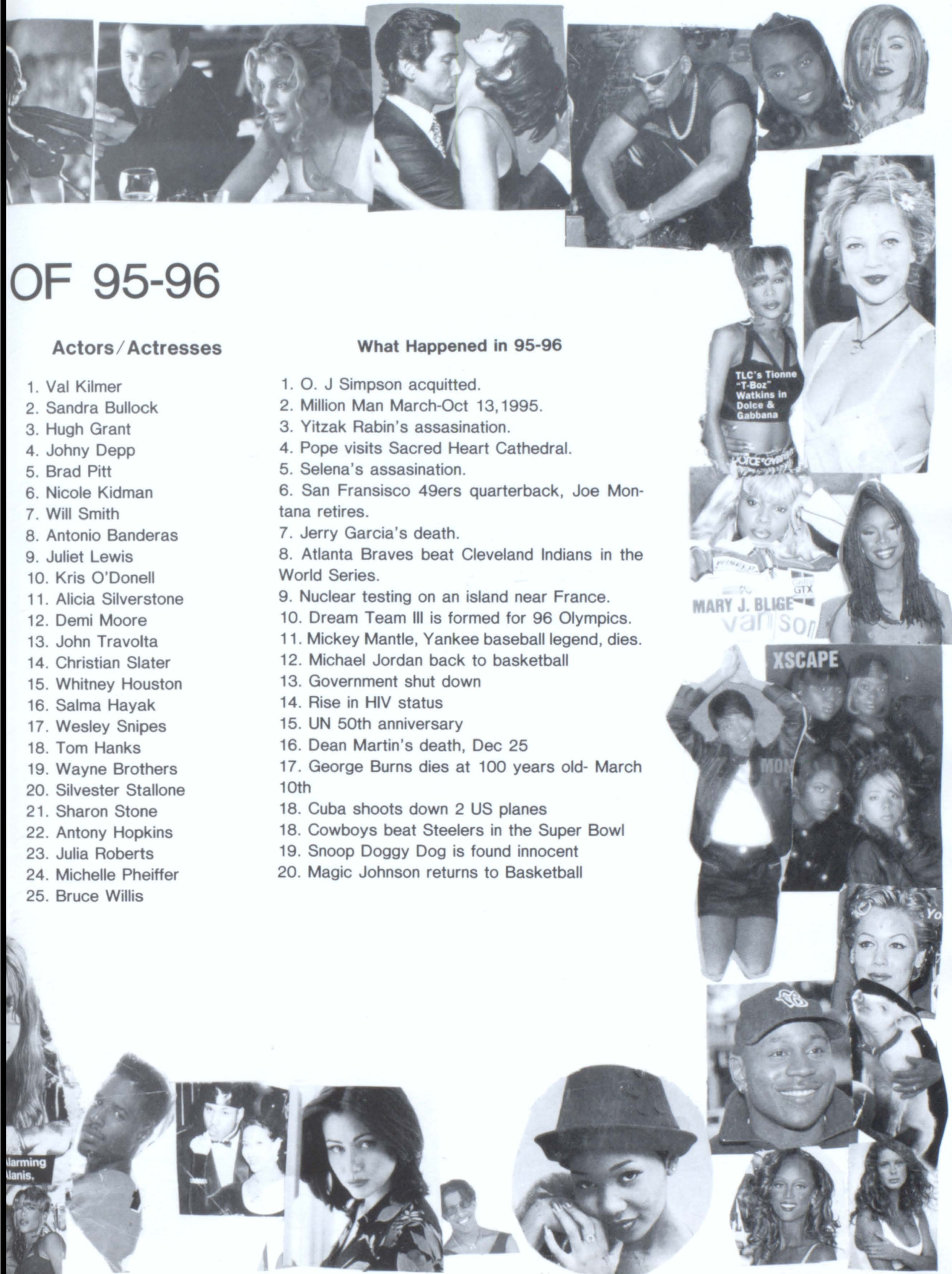
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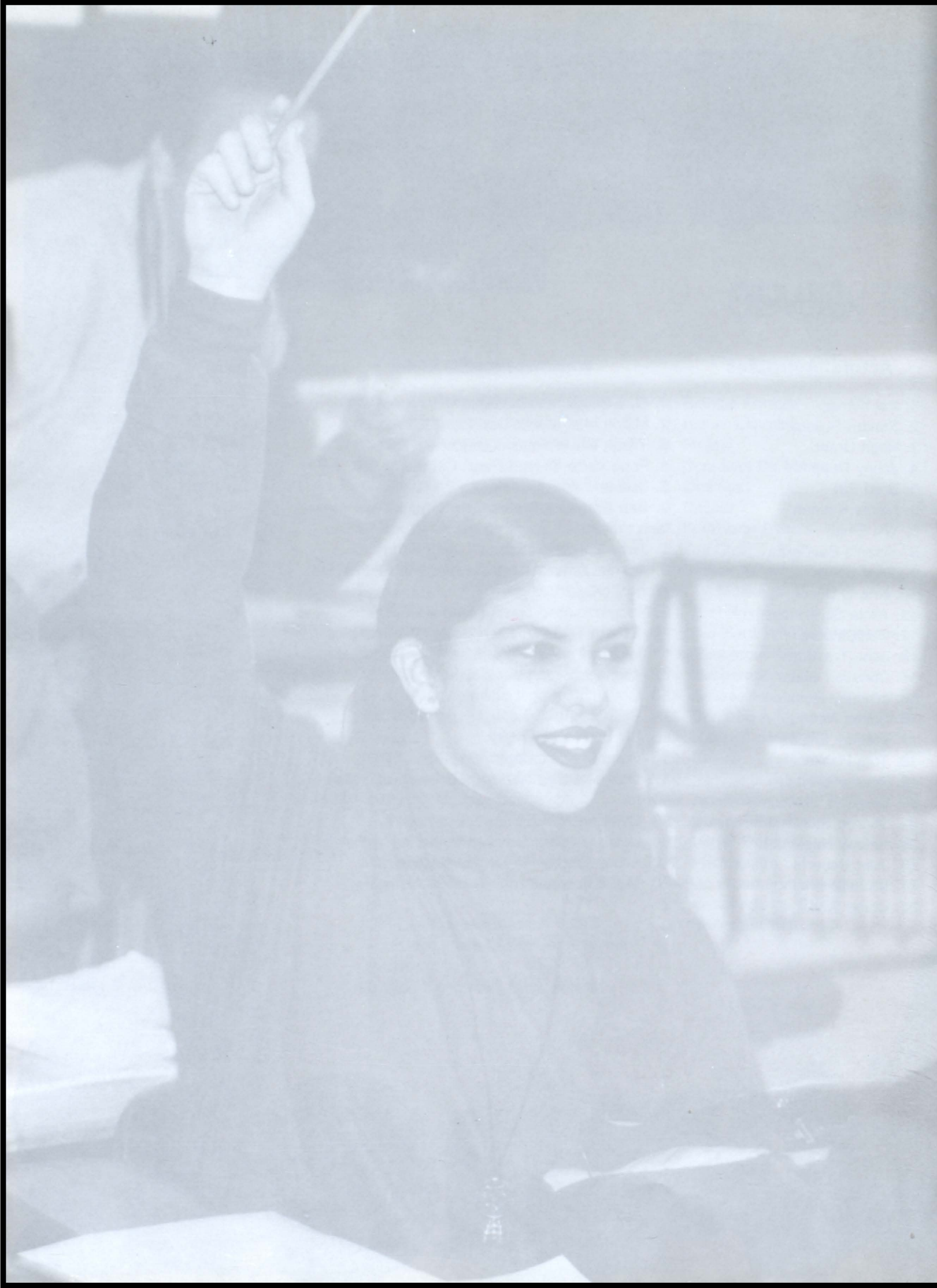
Actors/Actresses

1. Val Kilmer
2. Sandra Bullock
3. Hugh Grant
4. Johny Depp
5. Brad Pitt
6. Nicole Kidman
7. Will Smith
8. Antonio Banderas
9. Juliet Lewis
10. Kris O'Donnell
11. Alicia Silverstone
12. Demi Moore
13. John Travolta
14. Christian Slater
15. Whitney Houston
16. Salma Hayak
17. Wesley Snipes
18. Tom Hanks
19. Wayne Brothers
20. Sylvester Stallone
21. Sharon Stone
22. Antony Hopkins
23. Julia Roberts
24. Michelle Pfeiffer
25. Bruce Willis

What Happened in 95-96

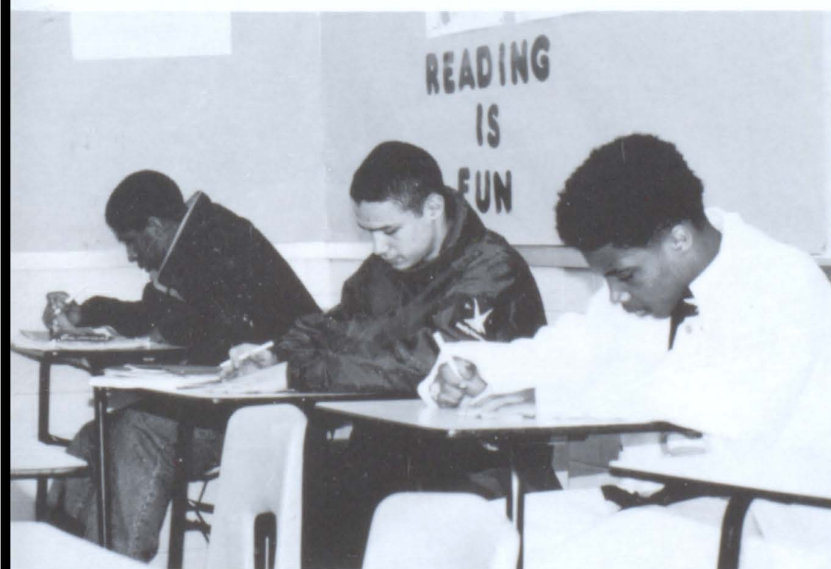
1. O. J Simpson acquitted.
2. Million Man March-Oct 13, 1995.
3. Yitzak Rabin's assassination.
4. Pope visits Sacred Heart Cathedral.
5. Selena's assassination.
6. San Fransisco 49ers quarterback, Joe Montana retires.
7. Jerry Garcia's death.
8. Atlanta Braves beat Cleveland Indians in the World Series.
9. Nuclear testing on an island near France.
10. Dream Team III is formed for 96 Olympics.
11. Mickey Mantle, Yankee baseball legend, dies.
12. Michael Jordan back to basketball
13. Government shut down
14. Rise in HIV status
15. UN 50th anniversary
16. Dean Martin's death, Dec 25
17. George Burns dies at 100 years old- March 10th
18. Cuba shoots down 2 US planes
18. Cowboys beat Steelers in the Super Bowl
19. Snoop Doggy Dog is found innocent
20. Magic Johnson returns to Basketball



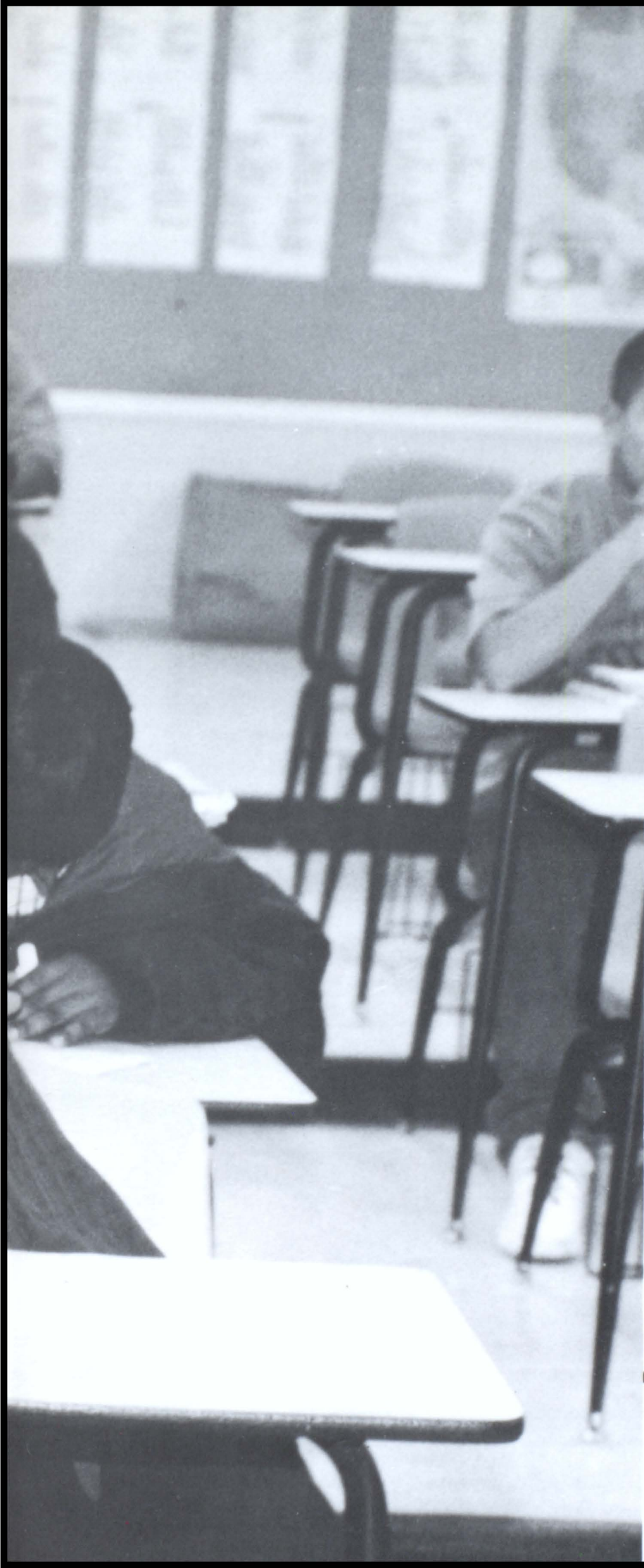




Seniors, you entered Barringer as cubs without a clue. Now you will leave what you called home as a Bear wanting to grow and pursue all the great things that you let yourselves gain. You've heard that famous saying, "People don't give you things- you earn them."







We have seen, experienced, and accomplished the goals of a small pond known as Barringer High: "Our school worth looking into." Now we will move on to greater challenges in a sea of opportunities, that will hopefully lead us all to the pool of success.



Remember These Concepts

May there be no dead-ends in your life, and no roads travelled without blessings.

May there never be a dream beyond your reach, or star that you are unable to touch.

May you remember all you have had from the start, and all that is yours forever.

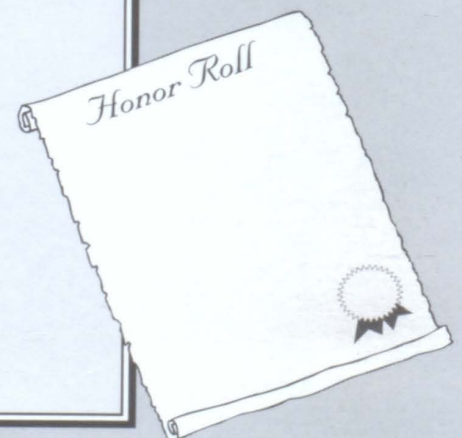
Don't let go of hope. Hope gives you the strength to pursue your dreams when you feel like giving up.

Don't wait for what you want to come to you. Go after it with all you are, knowing that life will meet you halfway.

Don't ever quit believing in yourself. As long as you believe, you can accomplish your goals. We depart one another this day with the memories of our four years together. Hopefully one day we will unite again, and will never have to depend on memories, but instead create new ones.

Congratulations, and best of luck in the years ahead.

Class of 1996!!



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